



214 **IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP-4058-2023

Date of decision: 28.05.2024

DALBIR SINGH

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

**PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION
LTD. AND ORS.**

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. P.K.Bansal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Vinod Kumar, Advocate for the respondents.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed by the petitioner under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing the respondents to correct his date of birth in the HR Data from 12.05.1965 to 12.05.1969.

2. On 14.05.2024, the following order was passed:-

"On 10.10.2023, the following order was passed :-

"Mr. Vinod Kumar, Advocate has put an appearance on behalf of respondents and filed his power of attorney, which is taken on record. He submits that grievance of the petitioner has been redressed and his date of birth in compliance of the order dated 28.02.2023 stands corrected as 12.05.1969 and a letter No.58 dated 04.09.2023 regarding the retirement of the petitioner is produced in the Court, which is taken on record. A copy of the order has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that salary of three months i.e. since June, 2023 to August, 2023 has not been paid to the petitioner.

At this stage, learned counsel for respondents seeks time to have instructions with regard to salary.

On his request, adjourned to 18.10.2023."

Learned counsel for the respondent again sought time on 18.10.2023 for getting instructions and the case was



adjourned to 31.01.2024. On 31.01.2024, again time was sought by learned counsel for the respondents for filing a short reply in terms of order dated 10.10.2023 and the case was adjourned to 22.03.2024. On 22.03.2024, again last opportunity was granted to learned counsel for the respondents for getting instructions.

Today statement has been made by learned counsel for the respondents that he has no instructions from the department. In this view of the matter, respondent No.3-Chief Engineer,

In this view of the matter, respondent No.3-Chief Engineer, Distribution Zone West, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Bathinda, shall remain present before this Court on the next date of hearing to assist the Court.

Adjourned to 28.05.2024."

3. In pursuance to the order dated 14.05.2024, Mr. Harparveen Singh, Chief Engineer, Distribution Zone West, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Bathinda is present in Court today and has made a statement that the due payment of salary for three months has been released to the petitioner for today itself.

4. In view of the statement of Chief Engineer, Distribution Zone West, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Bathinda, the instant petition has been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of as such.

28.05.2024

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(NAMIT KUMAR)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No