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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision :01.08.2024

L.B. Gupta

...Petitioner

Versus

The Punjab State Electricity Board and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms. Anupam Bhanot, Advocate for respondents.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

In the present petition, grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the petitioner is entitled for the grant of pensionary benefits along with interest.

As per the reply filed on behalf of the respondents, pensionary benefits have already been released to the petitioner, details of which as given in the reply is as under:-

Date of retirement: 31st January, 1998

Date received	Particulars	Amount	interest
28.01.99	Leave encashment	1,77,738	21,153
02.02.99	Gratuity	3,38,082	40,792
03.02.99	Commutation of pension	4,33,546	52,453
- - - -	Total (A)		1,14,398

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14.09.16	Total (A+B)	3,56,260

A bare perusal of the above details would show that even the benefit of interest has already been paid to the petitioner.

On the last date of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner has sought time to enquire from the petitioner about the grant of benefit of interest.

Today, though, nobody has put in appearance on behalf of the petitioner but averments made by the respondents in the reply cannot be ignored.

Keeping in view the fact that all the pensionary benefits along with interest has already been released to the petitioner, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court in the present petition and the same is accordingly disposed of.

Civil miscellaneous application pending , if any, is also disposed of.

August 01, 2024

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No