



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

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CWP-4139-1999 (O&M)
Date of decision : 31.07.2024

Mohinder Kaur

....Petitioner

V/S

The Punjab State Civil Supplies Corporation and othersRespondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. L.S. Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Randhawa, Advocate for
respondents No.1, 2, 4 and 5-PUNSUP.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to release the payment of insurance money of late Sh. Gurmail Singh Bhattal, husband of the petitioner, who was working as Sub Inspector in PUNSUP and died while in service on 01.11.1996, along with interest.

2. In the written statement filed by respondents No.1, 2, 4 and 5 (PUNSUP), it has been stated that the interest amount of Rs.18,080/- has already paid to the petitioner on 12.05.1998 and with regard to insurance money, it has been stated that insurance was done by the Oriental Insurance Company, Chandigarh and the liability of the Insurance Company arises only in the case of accidental death, therefore, the Insurance Company did not make the payment to the petitioner as it is not a case of accidental death.



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3. In view of the stand taken by the respondent-PUNSUP, the instant petition has been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of accordingly.
4. Pending application, if any, shall stands disposed of accordingly

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No