



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

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CWP-13535-2020

Date of decision : 04.09.2024

Dr. Harbhajan Singh Bhatti

....Petitioner

V/S

Punjabi University, Patiala and others

....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. Hardeep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Shazia K. Singh, Advocate
for respondents No.1 & 2.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner has filed the instant writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of certiorari, quashing the order dated 09.03.2020 (Annexure P-15). Further seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents No.2 to 4 to clear the No Due Certificate of the petitioner and to release the pending dues amounting to Rs.1,56,817/- to the petitioner along with interest @ 18% per annum.

2. On 10.01.2024, learned counsel for the petitioner informed the Court that the petitioner has unfortunately died and sought time for impleading his LRs and the case was adjourned for 10.05.2024. On 10.05.2024, on written request circulated by learned counsel for the petitioner, case was again adjourned for today. However, LRs of the petitioner have not been brought on record so far.



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3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that despite his best efforts he has not been able to get instructions from the LR's of the petitioner.

4. In this view of the matter, the present petition is dismissed for non-prosecution. However, liberty is granted to the LR's of the petitioner to revive the same in case any cause still survives.

04.09.2024

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

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