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

(115)

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Date of Decision : July 30, 2024

Sukhwant Kaur

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Harmandeep Singh Saini, Advocate, and
Mr. Dushant Jog, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Gupta, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab with
Mr. Paramjit Pandove, Assistant Director, Department of
Finance.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. In the present writ petition, the grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the disciplinary proceedings pending against the petitioner are not being concluded though on the similar charge, the petitioner has already been acquitted by the competent Court of law as far back as year 2022.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the pendency of the disciplinary proceedings is not only causing prejudice to the petitioner while in service but even after retirement, the retiral benefits will be withheld on the pretext of the said disciplinary proceedings and therefore, the respondents be directed to conclude the same in a time bound manner.

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3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Arun Gupta, learned Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents, on the instructions from Mr. Paramjit Pandove, Assistant Director, Department of Finance, submits that the disciplinary proceedings pending against the petitioner will be concluded by 31.12.2024 under all circumstances and whatever relief the petitioner is found entitled for on conclusion of the disciplinary proceedings, will be given to her within a further period of six weeks.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned counsel for the respondents, no further grievance of the petitioner survives in the present writ petition and the same may kindly be disposed of as not pressed.

7. Ordered accordingly.

July 30, 2024*harsha***(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)****JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No