



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

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CWP-15909-2024 (O&M)

Date of decision: 15.07.2024

Mohan Lal

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present: Ms. Anju Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana.

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the chargesheet, which was issued on 05.11.2018, has not been proceeded with, to which learned State counsel, on instructions from Sh. Dharam Singh, Sadar Kanungo, Sirsa, submits that the enquiry proceedings initiated shall be completed within a period of 8 weeks with granting opportunity to the petitioner, in accordance with law.

2. Faced with the above, the learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the petition. Since the petitioner had retired on 31.03.2019 and suffering from financial loss because of non-releasing of the retiral benefits due to pendency of the chargesheet, she prays that in case the proceedings are decided in his favour, the respondent may be directed to release the same in a time bound manner.

3. Dismissed as not pressed. However, in case the disciplinary proceedings culminate in favour of the petitioner and there is no other impediment, his retiral benefits be released, in accordance with law, at the earliest.

**(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE**

15.07.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No