

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

**CWP-17155 of 2021 (O&M)
Date of decision : April 9, 2024**

Raj Kumar Bansal

..... Petitioner

Versus

UHBVN and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present :-None for the petitioner.

Mr. Jagbir Malik, Advocate for
Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Advocate
for the respondents.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J (Oral)

1. Present petition has been filed for issuance of directions to the respondents to release the withheld amount of gratuity.
2. No one has caused appearance on behalf of the petitioner.
3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents has referred to the reply filed by the Executive Engineer, Operation, Sub Urban Division, UHBVN, Jagadhri while referring to Annexure R-1/3, he has submitted that the remaining amount of Rs.1,66,318 has already been disbursed to the petitioner. The petitioner has also acknowledged that he is fully satisfied with it.
4. He has also referred to Annexure R-1/4 to show that costs of Rs.25,000/- has been paid to the petitioner.

5. Both the acknowledgments Annexure R-1/3 and R-1/4 are reproduced as under:-

Annexure R-1/3 Acknowledgement

“Received a cheque No. 956926 dated 15.03.2024 amounting to Rs. 166317/- on account of release of withheld amount from pensionary benefits, in view of advise tendered by LR HPU Panchkula in CWP No. 17155 of 2021 titled Raj Kumar Bansal Vs UHBVN & Ors. I am fully satisfied with it.

(Raj Kumar Bansal (Retd on 30.09.2007) S/o Sh. Banu Mal”

Annexure R-1/4 Acknowledgment

“Received a Demand Draft No. 776960 dated 15.03.2024 amounting to Rs.25000/- on account of costs imposed by the Hon'ble High Court vide order dated 04.03.2024 in CWP No. 17155 of 2021 titled as Raj Kurnar Bansal Vs. UHBVN and others.

(Raj Kumar Bansal (Retd on 30.09.2007) S/o Sh. Banu Mal”

6. After hearing learned counsel for the respondents and perusing the affidavit filed by the Executive Engineer Operation, Sub Urban Division,UHBVN, Jagadhri, the present petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

April 9, 2024
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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable :

Yes/No
Yes/No