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

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Date of Decision: 03.09.2024

Tara Chand

..... Petitioner

Versus

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present: Ms. Anu Chaudhary, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Budhwar, Advocate,
for the respondents.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (ORAL)

1. At the outset, Mr. R.S. Budhwar, learned counsel for the respondents-Nigam submitted that all the retiral benefits have been paid to the petitioner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that although during the pendency of the present petition, the retiral benefits have been paid to the petitioner but liberty may be granted to the petitioner to file an appropriate application/representation before the respondents in case any benefit is still left to be paid to the petitioner and in case the delay was caused because of the fault of the respondents then liberty may also be granted to the petitioner to claim interest on the delayed payments of retiral benefits and time barred direction may be issued to the respondents that in case any application is filed by the petitioner then the same will be

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considered and decided in accordance with law.

3. Learned counsel for the respondents stated that he has no objection in case any such application/representation is filed by the petitioner.

4. In view of the aforesaid position, the present petition is disposed of. Liberty is granted to the petitioner to raise any claim, which is left according to the petitioner, before the respondent including the claim for grant of interest on delayed payment of retiral benefits and in case any such application/representation is filed by the petitioner then the respondent No.2 is directed to consider and decide the same within a period of three months from filing of the aforesaid application/representation after giving an adequate opportunity of hearing to the petitioner or his counsel.

03.09.2024*Bhumika***(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE**

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned: | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether reportable: | Yes/No |