



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

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CWP-35146-2024

Date of decision : 20.12.2024

Gobinder Singh

....Petitioner

V/S

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Ms. Gagandeep Kaur, Advocate for the petitioner.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer in this writ petition filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari, quashing the letter dated 14.05.2024 (Annexure P-1) and attachment of the petitioner's pension account for recovery of Time-Barred debt. Further, seeking a writ of mandamus, restraining the respondents from making any further deductions from the pension account of the petitioner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for claiming the aforesaid relief, the petitioner has submitted a legal notice dated 11.08.2024 (Annexure P-2) and at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied, if the said legal notice is decided by passing a speaking order within a time bound frame.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Bhupesh Dogra, Advocate for Mr. G.B.S. Dhillon,

Advocate has put in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of



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respondent No.1 & 2 and has no objection to the innocuous prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the record of the case.

6. Without going into the merits of the case at this stage, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 11.08.2024 (Annexure P-2), submitted by the petitioner expeditiously, by passing a speaking order, preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

7. No further recovery shall be made from the petitioner till the decision on legal notice dated 11.08.2024.

20.12.2024

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

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