



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

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CWP-2106-2025 (O&M)

Date of decision: 27.01.2025

Arvinder Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

The Principal Sant Hira Dass Kanya Maha Vidyalaya
Kala Sanghian Kapurthala Distt Kapurthala and Another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Pushpinder Kaushal, Advocate for the petitioner

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

1. The prayer in the present petition is for directing the respondents to pay the petitioner her gratuity and leave encashment as per Payment & Gratuity Act, 1972.

2. Learned counsel would contend that the petitioner retired on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.06.2022, the retiral benefits have not been released to him, despite the fact that the No Balance Certificate, that was required of him, having also been submitted on 21.10.2024. In this regard, a legal notice dated 12.11.2024, Annexure P-6, has been served upon respondents, but the same yet not evoked any response. He thus, at this stage, on instructions from the petitioner, prays that a direction be given to the respondents to decide the same in a time bound manner.

3. In view of the above and without commenting on the merits of the

case, this petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 12.11.2024, in accordance with law, expeditiously.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

27.01.2025
M.Kamra

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No