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

COCP-4453-2024 (O&M)
Decided on:-03.02.2025

Dr. Partap Singh Verka

....Petitioner..

vs.

Dr. Avnish Kumar, Director, Medical Education & Research
Deptt., Punjab and others

...Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Manuj Nagrath, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gunjan Mehta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab
for respondents No.1 to 3.

Mr. H.S. Jugait, Advocate,
for respondent No.4.

HARKESH MANUJA J. (Oral)

1. Compliance report by way of affidavit of respondent No.1-
Avnish Kumar, Director, Research and Medical Education, Punjab, SAS
Nagar, has been filed in Court today and the same is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the respondents, on instructions, submits
that certain benefits have been released in favour of the petitioner, however,
the gratuity along with arrears of pension/retiral benefits including interest
thereupon shall be released in his favour within a period of two weeks from
today.

2. In view of the above, learned counsel for the petitioner does not
want to press the present petition.

3. Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed as not pressed. Rule stands discharged.
4. However, in case the needful is not done within the afore-stated period, as per undertaking, the petitioner would be at liberty to seek revival of the present contempt petition and in such eventuality, the erring concerned officer(s) would be liable to pay additional sum of Rs.50,000/- as costs from his/her own pocket in favour of the petitioner towards litigation expenses, immediately, i.e. on the first date of listing of revival application.

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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

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