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

COCP-5113-2024 (O&M)
Decided on:-13.02.2025

G.S.Sidhu

....Petitioner..

vs.

Krishan Kumar (IAS), Financial Commissioner,
Punjab Main Secretariat and ors.

...Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Taqeerjeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate,
 for the petitioner.

Mr. Sourav Verma, Addl. A.G., Punjab with
Mr. Arun, Legal Clerk.

HARKESH MANUJA J. (Oral)

1. Learned State counsel submits that the interest on terminal benefits stands released in favour of the petitioner, however, the process of refixation of pension is likely to take two weeks and thus, the arrears of pension along with interest thereupon shall be released to the petitioner with 03 weeks from today.

2. On the asking of the Court, Mr. H.S. Jugait, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the Accountant General, Punjab and submits that the claim of petitioner is pending consideration before the Accountant General, Punjab. He assures that the needful shall be done within two weeks from today.

3. In view of the above, no further orders are required to be passed

in the present petition, as such, the same is disposed of. 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.
5. Pending application, if any, also stands disposed of.

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Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable:

(HARKESH MANUJA)

JUDGE

Yes/No
Yes/ No