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

COCp-793-2026

Date of decision: 10.03.2026

Hardev Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Sonali Giri and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Prateek Pandit, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Singh, AAG, Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

1. Learned counsel for the respondents-State has submitted that in pursuance of the order passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court on 23.09.2025, a detailed speaking order dated 25.02.2026 has been passed. A copy of the said speaking order has been handed over to this Court during the course of arguments which is taken on record and marked as Mark "A" and a copy of the same has also been given to learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. Relief granted in the said speaking order is reproduced hereinbelow:-

"4.0 It is worthwhile to mention here that the petitioner was due to retire on 31.03.2025, upon the attaining the age of superannuation. In view thereof, pending inquiry, the petitioner was reinstated into service vide order dated 25.03.2025. Upon retiring the petitioner being government

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employee is entitled to grant provisional pension as per Rule 9.14 of Punjab Civil Services Rules, Vol-II, and Chapter-9. As per the abovesaid rule, it is directed to the Drawing and Disbursing Officer to grant provisional pension upto 75% to the petitioner.

Hence, the claims of the petitioner are disposed of accordingly.

Gurinder Singh Sodhi, P.C.S

Director School Education (Secondary), Punjab

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Dated 25/02/2026”

3. Learned counsel for the respondents-State has submitted that they would implement the order as expeditiously as possible.
4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in view of the above, the present contempt petition be disposed of.
5. Keeping in view the abovesaid facts and circumstances, the present contempt petition is disposed of.

10.03.2026*Pawan*

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

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