



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

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**CWP-14460-2026 (O&M)
Date of decision : 12.05.2026**

RAJINDER SINGH**..... Petitioner****VERSUS**

**STATE OF UT CHANDIGARH, THROUGH ITS HOME
SECRETARY AND ANOTHER**

..... Respondents**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA*********

Present :- Mr. Yogesh Bansal, Advocate with
Mr. Ajay Singh Boora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Shubreet Kaur, Additional Standing counsel with
Mr. Gaurav Rana, Advocate
for respondents-UT Chandigarh.

Deepinder Singh Nalwa, J. (Oral)

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a direction to the respondents to release the salary of the petitioner, which has been withheld by the respondents since March, 2026 till date.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of petitioner submits that the petitioner is presently in a permanent vegetative state and is wholly dependent upon others for all his needs. It is further submitted that since March, 2026, the department has not released the salary of the petitioner. Learned counsel submits that in light of the provisions of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, the petitioner is entitled for grant of salary.

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3. Learned counsel, on instructions from the petitioner, submits that at this stage, petitioner will be satisfied if a direction is given to respondents to decide the representation dated 13.04.2026 (Annexure P-5) submitted by the petitioner, in a time bound manner.

4. Notice of motion.

5. Ms. Shubreet Kaur, Additional Standing counsel, accepts notice on behalf of respondents and does not object to the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

6. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, this petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 13.04.2026 (Annexure P-5), submitted by the petitioner within a period of 01 month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order in accordance with law.

(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)
JUDGE

12.05.2026

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable :

Yes/No
Yes/No