



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

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CWP-21500-2022

Date of decision: 06.05.2026

Pawan Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. V.K. Sandhir, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Surya Kumar, AAG, Punjab.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner for pension as per Punjab Civil Service Rules Vol.-II Rule 2.2(c)(1) and other pensionary (Gratuity, Leave Encashment, Group Insurance Scheme benefits and interest on provident funds from 01.08.2017 to July, 2020) benefits for the service rendered as Assistant Engineer in the Department of Rural Development and Panchayats, Punjab, as the same is not being paid due to the dismissal order dated 24.10.2017 (Annexure P/1) passed by respondent No.3, after the conviction of the petitioner in a criminal case. Further, directions have also been sought to the respondents to release three annual increments which fell due before 31.07.2017 and pay interest @ 18% on the delayed payment of pension and pensionary benefits for which the

petitioner has already served a legal notice dated 10.02.2021 (Annexure P-4).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner wishes to withdraw the present writ petition to enable him to challenge the order dated 18.01.2024 (Annexure R/1) attached with the written statement filed on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3, whereby the claim of the petitioner seeking retiral dues has been considered and adjudicated upon.
3. Dismissed as withdrawn with aforesaid liberty.

06.05.2026
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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No