

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

CWP No.21365 of 2013 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 21.2.2014

Rajinder Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

Punjab State Co-op. Supply and Marketing Federation Ltd and Anr.

....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Vivek Rattan, Advocate for the petitioner.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Petitioner on superannuation retired w.e.f 29.2.2008 in the rank of Field Assistant from the services of the Markfed-respondent No.1. Since his retiral and other benefits were not cleared by his Employer, he filed writ petition bearing CWP No.20103 of 2011, which was disposed of vide order dated 18.1.2012 directing the Employer to consider his claim for release of benefits as set out in the legal notice dated 30.9.2011.

It is admitted that pursuant to the directions, the entire retiral benefits were released.

The precise grievance of the petitioner is that the alleged amount of incentive was withheld on account of recovery proceedings initiated against the petitioner for loss of Bardana by way of an arbitration case before the Sub Registrar, Cooperative Society, Sangrur.

It is claimed that the said case has been decided on 9.6.2011 against the respondent-Punsup and thus the petitioner is entitled to the

release of the same.

At the time of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that his client would be satisfied at this stage, if the respondents are directed to decide the pending legal notice dated 22.1.2013 (P.5) within a time frame.

The prayer made is reasonable and therefore liable to be accepted.

Accordingly the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the claim of the petitioner as set out in the pending legal notice (P.5) by passing a speaking order within three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order. Needless to say that the admissible relief shall be released to the petitioner within one month thereafter.

Disposed of in the above terms.

February 21, 2014
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JUDGE