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

COC-4651-2024

Date of Decision: January 30, 2025

**DR. JAGJIT SINGH**

.....Petitioner

Versus

**KUMAR RAHUL AND ORS.**

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA**

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

Mr. Gunjan Mehta, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

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**HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)**

Compliance report by way of an affidavit of Mr. Kumar Rahul, Administrative Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Health and Family Welfare has been filed on behalf of respondent No.1, the same is taken on record.

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Learned State counsel on instructions from Mr. Manoj Kumar, Senior Assistant informs that the unpaid gratuity and leave encashment benefits shall be released to the petitioner within a period of two weeks from today.

In view of the aforesaid, learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition.

Dismissed as not pressed

Rule discharged.

However, in case of default, salary of the Dr. Hitinder Kaur, Director, Health and Family Welfare, Punjab shall remain attached till the aforesaid benefits are released in favour of the petitioner.

It is pointed out here that this Court has been compelled to pass the consequential order as the decision in the writ petition was made on 26.07.2024 for directing respondents to decide the claim of the petitioner within 8 weeks, however, the respondents having failed to

comply with the same, the petitioner approached this Court by way of present contempt petition wherein, notice of motion was issued on 25.11.2024, however, despite having admitted the claim of the petitioner, the same have not been released in his favour.

**30.01.2025**

Tejwinder

**(HARKESH MANUJA)  
JUDGE**

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>