



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

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COCP No.1443 of 2025 (O & M)

Date of decision :-08.07.2025

Gurmeet Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

Dr. Sanjiv Puri, Registrar, Punjabi University, Patiala

.....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Tushar Garg, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Divya Godara, Advocate for the respondent.

NIDHI GUPTA J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondent for not complying the order dated 16.8.2022 (Annexure P-1) passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in CWP-17774-2022 titled as “Gurmeet Kaur vs. Punjabi University, Patiala, through its Registrar”, whereby, the following direction was issued :-

“On perusal of the pleadings and the records, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to the respondent to consider the legal notice dated 25.7.2021 (Annexure P-11), as representation moved by the petitioner and decide the same in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order, preferably within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.”



Learned counsel for the respondent has filed the Compliance Report by way of affidavit of Dr. Sanjiv Puri, Registrar, Punjabi University Patiala dated 01.7.2025. The same is taken on record. Copy thereof is supplied to the counsel opposite.

Learned counsel for the respondent points out that in compliance of order dated 16.8.2022 (Annexure P-1) office order dated 27.9.2023 (Annexure P-5) annexed with the petition has already been passed whereby the case of the petitioner for grant of pensionary benefits (benefit of gratuity and pension) had been approved by adding the service of 10 years 06 months and 16 days to the service rendered by the petitioner on adhoc basis from 11.7.1989 to 26.1.2000. Learned counsel for the respondent submits that accordingly there is no disobedience of the order dated 16.8.2022 (Annexure P-1).

Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to dispute the said submissions of learned counsel for the respondent.

Accordingly, the present petition stands **dismissed**.

Rule Stands discharged.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stands disposed of.

July 08, 2025
Vijay Asija

(**NIDHI GUPTA**)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No
Whether Reportable Yes / No