

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

2025:PHHC:058783



**CWP-3636-2025**

**Date of Decision: 05.05.2025**

Basant Singh

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

--Respondents

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

Present:- Mr. Ashok Sharma Nabhewala, Advocate with  
Ms. Gauri Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA.J (Oral)**

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of directions to the respondents to release the arrears of pay for the period from 31.10.2021 to 31.10.2023 including the revised pay on account of 6<sup>th</sup> Punjab Pay Commission and Revised Gratuity in terms of judgement dated 09.08.2024 (Annexure P-1), passed by a Division Bench of this Court in CWP-16052-2020.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, on instructions from the petitioner, submits that at this stage, he will be satisfied if a direction is given to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice dated 24.09.2024 (Annexure P-3) served by the petitioner in a time bound manner, in accordance with law.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Vikas Arora, DAG, Punjab appearing for the respondents does not oppose the prayer, as made by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present writ petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice dated 24.09.2024 (Annexure P-3) served by the petitioner, within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, by passing a speaking order, in accordance with law. In case the petitioner is held entitled for the benefit, as claimed by him in the legal notice, the same be also released to the petitioner in accordance with law within a period of 08 weeks thereafter.

**05.05.2025**

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**(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)  
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No