

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

**COCP-1492-2023 (O&M)  
Date of decision: 19.09.2023**

**Ram Dhan Pandir**

**...Petitioner**

**Versus**

**Mukesh Kumar Ahuja and another**

**..Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

Present:- Ms. Gunjan Mehta, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Prateek Mahajan, Advocate  
for the respondents.

**ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)**

As per affidavit of the Chief Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Board, Haryana, filed today in Court, an order dated 13.09.2023 has been passed, vide which, the petitioner has been granted the regular pay scale attached to the post of Engineer-in-Chief for the period he discharged duty of the said post entailing higher responsibilities on current duty charge w.e.f. 26.06.2014 to 31.05.2015. It is also stated that he is entitled to interest on arrears at the rate of 9% per annum from the date it became due till its payment, subject to final outcome of the SLP pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the actual disbursement will be made within a period of four months from today.

In view of the above, the present petition is rendered infructuous.

Rule stands discharged.

In case the needful is not done within the time stipulated, the petitioner will be at liberty to revive the present petition.

**19.09.2023**

*Waseem Ansari*

*Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether reportable*

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)  
JUDGE**

*Yes/No  
Yes/No*