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PRESENT

1. Mr. Allah Nawaz Khosa, Advocate,
Learned counsel for the petitioner.
2. Mr. Masood Karim, learned District Attorney.
3. Mr. Jawad Ashraf, Accounts Officer for respondent No.2.
4. Syed Tajamal Hussain, Public Information Officer for
respondent No.1.

Mr. Jawad Ashraf, Accounts Officer has appeared on behalf of Accountant General Punjab who was personally summoned vide order dated 03.11.2023. Statedly, the Accountant General Punjab has gone to Islamabad for some meeting. This act of the Accountant General Punjab is contumacious, however, taking a lenient view at this stage I am not issuing any show cause notice. However, a direction is given to the Accountant General Punjab to disburse the pensionary benefits to the petitioner as submitted by the department. The stance of the Accountant General office that an advice has been sought from the Finance Department is uncalled for in view of the judgment passed by this Tribunal. Even otherwise, it is matter inter-se between the two departmental i.e. Accountant General Office as well as the Finance Department. Any slackness on the part of Finance Department or Accountant General office is not tolerable. The Accountant General office is directed to comply with the judgment passed by this Tribunal in letter and spirit before the next date of hearing, failing which proceedings will be initiated against respondent No.2 i.e. Accountant General Punjab for committing the contempt of the court. To come up on 02.02.2024.



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