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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ **W.P.(C) 19723/2025 & CM APPL. 82352/2025 (Stay)**

BANSI DHAR SHARMA

.....Petitioner

Through: Ms. Pooja Agarwal, Ms. Anu Mehta,
Adv.

versus

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Rahul Sambher, SPC with Mr.
Navneet Singh, GP.
Mr. Harshit Manwani, Advocate for
R-2 to 4.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT SHARMA

ORDER

% **24.12.2025**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.

**CM APPL. 82353/2025 (Exemption from annexure P-1 to P 11) & CM
APPL. 82354/2025 (Exemption from filing list of dates and synopsis)**

2. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions. These applications are disposed
of.

W.P.(C) 19723/2025 & CM APPL. 82352/2025 (Stay)

3. The present petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
seeks following prayers:-

“1. It is, therefore most respectfully prayed that this Hon’ble Court
may be pleased to:- Issue an appropriate writ order or directions to
quash and set aside the office order dated 18.05.2023 No. Pension/20
addressed by the EPFO to All Addl. CPFCs, Zonal Offices and All
RPFCs/OICs, Regional Offices to the extent it excludes the right of
the Petitioner to get pension at the actual wage rate.

2. Quash and set aside the Order dated 15.02.2023 of The Respondent



No. 3.

3. Issue an appropriate writ order or direction to the respondents to cancel/ withdraw the arbitrary order mandating reversion of pension of the petitioner to the earlier lower pension in terms of the impugned letter/ PPO dated 18 MAY 2023 issued by the respondent and the applicable Pension Payment Order at that stage.

4. Quash and set aside the Impugned Order no. HR/FBD/Pension/PDS/PPO- dated 04.07.2023 addressed by Respondent No. 5 to the Branch Manager of SBI Bank mandating deductions from the pension Fund and,

5. Restore the pension of the Petitioner to the original amount of pension which duly computed by the respondents as such and was being paid to the petitioner before the issuance of the Impugned Letters;

6. Pass any other order (s) as the Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the above facts and circumstances in the interest of justice.”

4. Issue notice.
5. Learned counsel for the respondent No.1/UOI accepts notice.
6. Learned counsel for respondent Nos.2 to 4 accepts notice.
7. Let reply/counter affidavit be filed before the next date of hearing.
8. Re-notify on 20.01.2026 along with W.P.(C) 9283/2018.

AMIT SHARMA, J

DECEMBER 24, 2025/kr/ns