

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

Civil Writ Petition No. 7228 of 2015

DATE OF DECISION : April 21, 2015

Gurmel Singh

..... PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

State of Punjab & anr.

.... RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Madhav Pokhrel, Advocate, for the petitioner.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

A writ in the nature of mandamus is prayed for, so as to direct the respondents to allow the petitioner to join as Social Studies Master, pursuant to an appointment order dated 31.12.2012 (Annexure P-7).

Concededly, vide order dated 31.12.2012 (Annexure P-7), petitioner was asked to accept the appointment and join within a period of 30 days, in case the conditions set out therein were acceptable. Indisputably, petitioner did not respond to the said order, least submitted any joining report. The assertion as regards the illness of his father lacks bona fides as he joined as Inspector in the Department of Food and Supplies around the same time and continues to serve as such. Ex-facie, petitioner by choice and voluntarily, declined to accept the appointment as Social Studies Master. And this petition that has been filed after

almost 2-1/2 years, is nothing but an abuse of process.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he be permitted to withdraw this petition unconditionally.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

APRIL 21, 2015
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(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE