

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

**Civil Misc. Application No.14360-CWP of 2016 in/and
Civil Writ Petition No.15647 of 2014
Date of Decision: 16.11.2016**

Rajinder Singh

..... Applicant/Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Saurabh Arora, Advocate for the applicant/petitioner.

Mz. Sudeepti Sharma, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for respondent Nos.1 to 3/State.

None for respondent No.4.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner, while working as a Head Constable, on conclusion of the disciplinary proceedings suffered a major punishment of forfeiture of three years of service with cumulative effect, vide order dated 26.10.2012 (**Annexure P-13**). His appeal against the order (**P-13**) was dismissed, vide order dated 28.05.2013 (**Annexure P-15**). Even his mercy appeal was dismissed, vide order dated 15.01.2014 (**Annexure P-17**).

The challenge in the present petition is laid to the aforesaid punishment order, as confirmed by the higher authorities and the main petition stands adjourned to 02.02.2017.

Now the aforementioned application has been instituted by the petitioner seeking the unconditional withdrawal of the writ petition, in the

Punjab, whereby by invoking the powers of review, minor punishment of stoppage of three annual increments without cumulative effect has been imposed.

On the oral request of learned Counsel for the petitioner, not objected to by learned State Counsel, the date of hearing of the main petition is preponed from 02.02.2017 and taken up today itself.

In view of the contents of the application, the same is allowed and the main writ petition stands dismissed as withdrawn.

November 16, 2016
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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>