

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

**Civil Writ Petition No.24240 of 2016
Date of Decision: 23.11.2016**

Kanchan Bala

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Karambir Singh Kahlon, Advocate for the petitioner.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner was appointed as Clerk on 10.11.1989 with the Excise and Taxation Department, Punjab and was promoted as Excise and Taxation Inspector on 07.08.2012. She was reverted to the post of Junior Assistant, vide impugned order dated 29.10.2014 (**Annexure P-9**) under Rule 5 (vi) of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970. The reversion was ordered as her Graduation Degree of B.A., obtained from Mumbai Hindi Vidya Peeth was found not to be recognized by the U.G.C.

By filing the present petition, the petitioner has laid challenge to the Show Cause Notices dated 24.12.2013 (**Annexure P-3**) and 10.04.2014 (**Annexure P-6**) and the consequent reversion order dated 29.10.2014 (**Annexure P-9**), after a delay of more than two years.

It is averred that the petitioner has subsequently obtained her Graduation Degree in March, 2016 through Distant Education Mode from Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) and, therefore, is claiming promotion as Excise and Taxation Inspector.

At this stage, learned Counsel for the petitioner prays for permission to withdraw the present petition on account of the fresh cause of action, if any.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

November 23, 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>