

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

Sr. No. 236

CWP-26609-2015

Decided on : 03.05.2016

Kusum Malik

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr.N.R.Dahia, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms.Shruti Jain Goyal, AAG, Haryana.

Mr.B.K.Bagri, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

Through this petition, the petitioner who is serving the respondents as a Women & Child Development Project Officer, Agroha, District Hisar, complaining of frequent transfers, has challenged her transfer from Agroha to Nathusari Chopta, Distict Sirsa.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was posted at Agroha only in August, 2015 and within four months she has been transferred from Agroha to Nathusari Chopta. It is further submitted that there is no administrative ground to transfer the petitioner nor there is any complaint against her and that she has been transferred only to accommodate respondent No.2, who prior to August, 2015 was in

Agroha since November, 2013.

In order to resolve the controversy, the original record pertaining to the impugned transfer was summoned which clearly shows that the impugned transfer has been actuated for purely political reasons as the same has been done on the recommendations made by the Minister for Urban Local Bodies and Women & Child Development, Haryana.

In view of the above, since the impugned transfer has been passed for political considerations and not for any administrative reason or public interest, the same is ordered to be quashed.

The writ petition is allowed in the above terms.

No costs.

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JUDGE