

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

**CWP-7213-2000 (O&M)
Date of decision: 14.07.2017**

Nazar Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab & others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present: Mr. Amandeep Singh Meho, Advocate for
Mr. Puneet Jindal, Sr. Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Avinit Avasthi, AAG, Punjab.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.

The instant writ petition was instituted in the year 2000 seeking a writ of certiorari for quashing of a final seniority list circulated by the respondent/Welfare of Schedule Castes and Backward Classes Department, State of Punjab and whereby the date of promotion of the petitioner had been taken as 21.01.1991 as Senior Assistant and as such, had been shown below private respondents No.3 to 5.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that in spite of best efforts, contact has not been established with the petitioner. Counsel pleads no instructions.

Pleadings on record would indicate that the petitioner had joined the respondent/department on 15.01.1968 as a Male Social Worker. Clearly, the petitioner must have superannuated by now and on account of efflux of time, is not interested in pursuing the instant petition.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

Liberty, however, is granted to the petitioner to file an appropriate application for revival of the petition by demonstrating that the cause of action still survives.

Disposed of.

14.07.2017

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(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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| (i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| (ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |