

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

CWP No.1003 of 2017

Date of Decision:20.01.2017

Attar Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI

Present : Mr. Bikram Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

P.B. BAJANTHRI J.

The petitioner has questioned the validity of termination order dated 7.8.2006 and further rejection of his appeal on 28.8.2014.

The petitioner was initially appointed on contract basis as a Driver in the year 1999. On certain allegations, he was subjected to disciplinary proceedings. It was ended in imposing the penalty of termination from service in the year 2006 and his appeal was rejected on 28.8.2014. He has approached this Court only on 16.1.2017. There is a delay and laches on the part of the petitioner in questioning the validity of the termination as well as appellate authority order.

Moreover, the petitioner is only a contract employee. Contract employee has no right to seek continuation of service. The petitioner has not made out a case on the ground of delay and laches.

Accordingly, the petition stands dismissed.

20.01.2017
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(P.B. Bajanthri)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No