

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

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CWP No.14708 of 2017

Date of decision: 11.07.2017

Kirshan Singh Kataria

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA

Present: Mr.Anil Malik, Advocate and
Mr.S.K.Bhoria, Advocate, for the petitioner.

G.S. SANDHAWALIA, J. (Oral)

Petitioner, who is working as SDE (Horticulture) Sub Division HUDA, Kurukshetra with the respondents, has been transferred from Kurukshetra to Bahadurgarh, by respondent No.2. The grouse of the petitioner is that he has only 9 months left for his retirement, which is due on 31.03.2018. It is the case of the petitioner that prior to the transfer, on 07.06.2017, a representation was made that his retirement was due and therefore, he may not be transferred from Kurukshetra and be allowed to continue till his retirement. Inspite of that, the transfer order has been issued and resultantly, he filed representation dated 03.07.2017 (Annexure P4). It is, in such circumstances, he has approached this Court.

It is not disputed that the petitioner has remained posted at Kurukshetra since June, 2014. However, the fact remains that the petitioner has represented prior to his transfer regarding his prayer to remain in the station, which seems not to have been redressed by respondent No.2. In such circumstances, this Court deems fit that the said respondent shall take into consideration the above-mentioned two representations, filed by the petitioner and take a decision on the same sympathetically, within a period of one week from the receipt of a certified copy of this order. The same shall be conveyed to the petitioner, thereafter.

Writ petition stands disposed of, in the above-said terms.

11.07.2017

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Whether speaking/reasoned:

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No

Yes/No

**(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE**