

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.20042 of 2017
Date of decision:03.10.2017

All India Central Ground Water
Board Employees Association

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

...Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rakesh Kumar Jain

Present: Mr. Gaurav Mohunta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Rakesh Kumar Jain, J. (Oral)

This petition is filed for seeking quashing of the orders dated 23.08.2017 and 25.08.2017, by which recognition of the petitioner-association has been cancelled in terms of Rule 8 of the Central Civil Services (Recognition of Service Association) Rules, 1993 (hereinafter referred to as the "Rules").

The primary grievance of the petitioner is that the impugned orders have been passed without affording them an opportunity of hearing, though Rule 8 of the Rules stipulates the same.

Counsel for the respondents fairly submits that the impugned orders may be set aside as the respondents have decided to afford an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner before taking any action. He has also handed over a copy of the comprehensive show cause notice dated 03.10.2017, asking the petitioner to file its reply within 15 days, followed by the opportunity of personal hearing before taking any decision.

In view of the aforesaid, counsel for the petitioner submits that he may be allowed to withdraw the present petition as at this stage it has become infructuous because the impugned orders have been withdrawn by the respondents.

Dismissed as withdrawn accordingly.

October 03, 2017
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(Rakesh Kumar Jain)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No