

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.25011 of 2017

Date of Decision: November 03, 2017

Sukhdev Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

Shri Mata Mansa Devi Shrine Board

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present:- Mr. R.K. Malik, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Kuldeep Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Amol Rattan Singh, J. (Oral)

Mr. Malik, learned Senior Counsel appearing for the petitioner, submits that the petitioner is not being promoted further simply because of three charge-sheets continuing to remain pending against him since 2012-13, with no decision taken by the respondent-Board, even though the petitioner had submitted his reply to the charge-sheets well in time.

Learned Senior Counsel also refers to the instructions of the Haryana Government, dated 27.01.2003 (Annexure P-8), which he submits are applicable to the respondent-Board, by which it has been directed that disciplinary proceedings be completed within a period of one year from the date of the action ordering proceedings to be initiated, under Rule 7 of the Haryana Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules 1987.

Consequently, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority amongst the respondents to take a decision on the pending chargesheets of the petitioner in the light of his reply, and after giving him an opportunity of personal hearing, within a period of 3 months

from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

November 03, 2017
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(Amol Rattan Singh)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether reportable:	No