

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

CWP-27972-2017 (O&M)
Date of decision: 08.12.2017

Amardeep Singh

... Petitioner

vs

State of UT, Chandigarh & ors.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN

Present: Mr. A.S.Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Rakesh Kumar Jain, J(Oral)

The petitioner has challenged the orders dated 12.06.2014 (Annexure P-2) and 22.11.2017 (Annexure P-1) passed by respondents No.2 and 1 respectively.

Respondent No.3 filed a petition under Section 55/56 of the Punjab State Cooperative Societies Act, 1961 (as applicable to UT) for recovery of ₹63,081/- including the interest. The said petition was allowed by respondent No.2 (Arbitrator) on 12.06.2014.

Although the said order was appealable under Section 68 of the Act but the appeal was filed by the petitioner in 2017, presumably after the expiry of three years, which has been dismissed by the Appellate Court on 22.11.2017, being belated.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the impugned orders are illegal but he has not given the sufficient cause for not filing the appeal after such a long delay.

Accordingly, I do not find any merit in the present petition

especially when the appeal has rightly been dismissed by the authority being delayed. Dismissed.

08.12.2017
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(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE

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| 1. Whether speaking/non-speaking? | Yes |
| 2. Whether reportable? | Yes/No |