

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

**CWP No.4456 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of decision : March 06, 2017**

Zora Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

1. Whether the Reporters of local newspaper may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not.
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest ?

KULDIP SINGH J. (ORAL)

The petitioner retired as a Clerk on 31.10.2012. His grouse is that his junior Nek Singh was promoted as Junior Assistant on 03.08.2012. Now the prayer is for granting the benefits of promotion to the petitioner from the date when his junior was promoted.

I am of the view that the cause of action arose to the petitioner in the year 2012 when his junior was promoted. The petitioner retired from service on 31.10.2012 and the present petition has been filed in the year 2017 i.e. more than four years after his retirement. Therefore, the present petition is badly barred by delay and latches.

As such, the present petition is dismissed.

**(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE**

March 06, 2017

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Whether speaking / reasoned Yes

Whether Reportable: No