

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 5180 of 2017 (O/M)
Date of decision : 15.3.2017

Neelam Verma Petitioner (s)
Versus
State of Punjab and others Respondent (s)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Mr. Ankit Duggal, 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 ?

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KULDIP SINGH J. (ORAL)

The petitioner claims that she was due for promotion in the year 1998. Her eight juniors were promoted on 15.9.1998. Thereafter, more juniors were promoted on 11.7.2006. She was promoted on 27.12.2006. She retired from service on 31.5.2011 and has filed the present writ petition on 9.3.2017.

I am of the view that she was ignored for the first time on 15.9.1998 when her juniors were promoted. Now, 19 years have elapsed. Even after retirement of the petitioner, she remained silent for six years. Due to inordinate delay and laches, this Court is not inclined to entertain the present writ petition. Hence, the present writ petition is dismissed.

(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE

15.3.2017
sjks

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes

Whether Reportable : No