

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

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CWP-5290-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 16.03.2017

Rashpal Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Cooperative Supply & Marketing Federation Ltd. and others

.... Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice P.B. Bajanthri

Present: Mr. Arnav Sood, Advocate for the petitioner.

P.B. Bajanthri, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr. APS Mann, Panel Advocate accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.1.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to furnish 2 sets of paper book to learned counsel for respondent No.1 during the course of the day.

In the present petition, the petitioner has sought for direction to the appellate authority to dispose of his appeal which is pending consideration against the order of disciplinary authority. The petitioner was subjected to disciplinary proceedings which has attained finality by imposing penalty of stoppage of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect and recovery of loss of Rs.9,91,470 along with interest. Feeling aggrieved by the order of disciplinary authority dated 16.09.2015 it seems that petitioner has preferred an appeal before the appellate authority

on 15.03.2016 and the appeal is pending consideration before the appellate authority since 15.03.2016. Therefore, appellate authority is directed to decide the petitioner's appeal within a period of 4 months from today and communicate the decision on appeal to the petitioner.

Accordingly, petition stands disposed of.

16.03.2017
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(P.B.BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasons	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No