

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

**C.O.C.P. No. 2035 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 01.05.2018**

Anil Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

Shri Arun Kumar, Managing Director, Dakshin Haryana
Bijli Vitran Nigam, Vidhyut Nagar, Hisar

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. J.P. Ahalawat, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Bhim Singh (father of the petitioner), while working as Lineman in Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd., Hisar, died on 21.09.2005. Thereafter, the petitioner had filed a writ petition bearing CWP No. 10848 of 2006, seeking, *inter alia*, mandamus to the respondents to provide him compassionate appointment. The said writ petition was allowed by this Court vide order dated 11.05.2007 (**Annexure P-1**), whereby the respondent was directed to consider the claim of the petitioner for compassionate appointment within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. The aforesaid order dated 11.05.2007 (**P-1**) was also upheld by Hon'ble Supreme Court vide order dated 25.03.2015 (**Annexure P-2**).

Since the compliance of the order in question was not made within the stipulated time of eight weeks, hence the present contempt petition was filed.

At the time of hearing, it is noticed that notice in the present contempt was issued on 20.08.2015 and for want of process fee, notice could not be issued as yet.

In view of above, this Court finds that counsel for the petitioner is not willing to pursue the present contempt petition, and, therefore, the same is liable to be dismissed for non-prosecution.

Dismissed for non-prosecution.

May 01, 2018

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>