

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

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**CWP-13732-2016 (O&M)
Date of decision:30.01.2018**

Kuldeep Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

Presiding Officer and another

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI

Present: Mr. Sandeep Singal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Addl. A.G. Haryana.

P.B. BAJANTHRI, J. (ORAL)

In the instant writ petition, petitioner has challenged the award passed by the Labour court dated 18.12.2015. Petitioner has rendered service from July, 1995 to 31.03.1997. Having regard to the factual aspect labour court proceeded to award compensation of Rs.40,000/-. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that award of compensation of Rs.40,000/- would be too meager. He is entitled for enhanced compensation as awarded by labour court. In support of enhancement of compensation, petitioner relied on LPA decision passed in LPA No. 754 of 2010 decided on 29.11.2014. The aforesaid decision is distinguishable having regard to the facts of the present case. In the present case, petitioner rendered service up to 31.03.1997 and dispute has raised after 6 ½ years. Having regard to the conduct of the petitioner he is not entitled to enhancement of compensation from Rs.40,000/-. Accordingly CWP stands dismissed.

30.01.2018

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**(P.B.BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasons:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No