

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-21963-2015 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-17.04.2018.

Surinder Mohan

.....Petitioner

Versus

Life Insurance Corporation of India and others

.....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. N.P. Mittal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Kumar Longia, Advocate for the respondents.

P.B. BAJANTHRI, J. (Oral)

(1.) In the instant writ petition, petitioner is stated to be member of the Divisional Managers' Club. In other words, he is only an agent and he has not been appointed in the Life Insurance Corporation of India.

2.) Learned counsel for the respondents submitted that in order to motivate agents as and when they reach certain targets, they will be given some status. Such status has been assigned to the petitioner and it has been taken away vide Annexure P-15 whereby petitioner's right has been affected. In other words, there is a civil consequences. Such action by the respondents vide Annexure P-15 read with Annexure P-18 is not with reference to the issuance of show cause notice and obtaining explanation from the petitioner. In other words, Annexures P-15 and P-18 have been

passed without giving an opportunity. In view of these facts and

circumstances, Annexures P-15 and P-18 are set aside.

3.) Petition stands allowed. Reserving liberty to the respondents-Life Insurance Corporation of India to proceed by issuance of show cause notice and pass consequential order after due consideration of the contentions of the petitioner against the show cause notice to be submitted by him.

4.) With the above observations, petition stands allowed.

(P.B. BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE

April 17, 2018.
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Whether speaking/reasoned:-

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:-

Yes / No.