

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

CWP No.22801 of 2016(O&M)

Date of Decision:-15.12.2018

Vijay Kumar Syal.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab & Anr.

.....Respondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Vijay Kumar Syal, Petitioner in person.

Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

JASWANT SINGH, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner was a member of the Punjab Civil Services (Executive Branch) and on attaining the age of superannuation of 60 years (being a physically handicapped person) stands retired on 31.07.2018. In the instant petition he has challenged the order dated 8.8.2016 (P-19) whereby the punishment of stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect was imposed on conclusion of disciplinary proceedings.

Reply by way of affidavit of Sh. Harbans Singh, PCS., Deputy Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Personnel, on behalf of respondent no.1 has been filed in Court today. Same is taken on record.

At the time of hearing, counsel for the parties are agreed that the impugned order is appealable under the provisions of The Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970 and the State would have no

objection if the petitioner is relegated back to avail the alternative remedy.

In view of the above, present writ petition is disposed of with direction to the petitioner to file his appeal within next three weeks before the Appellate Authority whereupon no objection of delay would be taken and the appeal would be decided on merits in accordance with law within a period of three months.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

December 15, 2018
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>