

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.9283 of 2013

Date of Decision: 19.04.2018

Balwant Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr. Ritesh Parshad, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, AAG, Haryana.

Ms. Chhavi Sharma, Advocate,
for Mr. P.S. Chauhan, Advocate,
for respondents No.2 & 3.

Mr. Ashok K.Kumar, Advocate,
for respondent No.6.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J.(Oral)

The selection and appointment of respondents No.5 & 6 to the post of Assistant Lineman has been challenged in this petition on the ground that they were overage and did not possess the requisite qualification.

A mandamus is claimed to the respondents to offer the petitioner appointment letter being the next available candidate in the joint waiting list.

Counsel informs that the petitioner is dead. The petitioner has died during the pendency of this petition. The cause of action has abated and no rights inure to the legal representatives to press and claim relief in the petition. The right was personal in nature and stands extinguished on

death.

Accordingly, the petition stands dismissed.

(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No