

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

**LPA No. 195 of 2018 (O&M) in
CWP No.20536 of 2009
Date of decision: 03.05.2018**

Ravi Chauhan

...Appellant

Vs.

STATE OF HARYANA AND ORS.

...Respondents

**CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.S. WALIA**

Present: Mr. Puneet Gupta Advocate
for the appellant.

RAJESH BINDAL, J.

Order passed by the learned Single Judge disposing of the writ petition has been impugned by filing the present intra-court appeal. Along with the appeal, application seeking condonation of 32 days' delay in filing thereof, has also been filed.

The prayer made in the writ petition was for the grant of compassionate appointment as father of the appellant, who was serving in the Excise & Taxation Department, died on 21.12.2004. Writ petition was filed in the year 2009 seeking compassionate appointment. The learned Single Judge directed for payment of ₹ 2.50 lacs as *ex gratia*, in terms of the entitlement of the appellant.

It cannot be disputed that compassionate appointment is not

an additional source of recruitment. Father of the appellant having died more than 13 years back, it is too late now to consider the case for compassionate appointment as the object of such a policy was to give immediate relief to the family of the deceased.

There is no error in the order passed by the learned Single Judge. Accordingly, the appeal is dismissed. Consequently, the application seeking condonation of delay in filing the appeal is also dismissed.

**(RAJESH BINDAL)
JUDGE**

**(B.S.WALIA)
JUDGE**

May 03, 2018
Poonam (II)

Whether speaking/ reasoned Yes/No

Whether Reportable Yes/No