

Sr. No.109

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

CWP No.1031 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 14.11.2019

Gurinderpal Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. Amandeep Singh Jawandha, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

1. Petitioner herein, *inter alia*, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari to quash an order dated 02.11.2018 (Annexure P-2), vide which request of the petitioner for re-employment in Police Department was rejected.

2. After hearing arguments of learned counsel for the petitioner, I am unable to persuade myself with the argument that the petitioner is entitled to be re-employment on the grounds of parity with Sh. Davinder Singh as per re-employment granted to Davinder Singh vide order dated 24.01.2003 contained at Annexure P-3.

3. A bare perusal of the order dated 24.01.2003 (Annexure P-3) would reveal that Sh. Davinder Singh was granted re-employment on extreme compassionate grounds.

4. Neither the petitioner has made out a case of compassionate grounds, nor on a query posed by the Court,

learned counsel for the petitioner is able to convince that there are any mitigating circumstances entitling the petitioner to seek appointment on extreme compassionate grounds.

5. On the other hand, record would reveal that the petitioner had voluntarily resigned from the job for moving on to greener pastures of life as at the relevant time, he was residing in USA.

6. In the premise, not only the petition is devoid of merit as there is no law which mandates that re-employment is a matter of right, even otherwise no ground has been shown for compassionate grounds as was in the case of Sh. Davinder Singh vide Annexure P-3.

7. Writ petition is, accordingly, dismissed.

14.11.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No