

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

**CWP-3481-2019
Date of decision : 08.02.2019**

Krishan Lal

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. Priyanshu Kamra, Advocate for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner is serving on the post of Work Munshi under the Punjab Water Resource Management and Development Corporation Limited, Abohar. It is the positive assertion made by counsel that the petitioner suffers from a permanent disability assessed to the extent of 85% by the competent authority.

Petitioner is to attain the normal age of superannuation of 60 years as on 31.03.2019.

Reliance is placed upon circular dated 08.10.2012 (Annexure P-3) as also subsequent circulars issued from time to time and clarification dated 01.01.2019 at Annexure P-6 issued by the State Government and applicable to the respondent-Corporation and where-under an extension of two years in service beyond the normal age of superannuation of 60 years is contemplated.

Precise grievance raised in the petition is that inspite of an application having been submitted on 01.08.2018 seeking extension in

service, no final decision in regard thereto has been conveyed to the petitioner.

In view of the above and without even ascertaining the correctness of the averments made in the writ petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition with a direction to respondent No.2 i.e. the Managing Director, Punjab Water Resource Management and Development Corporation Limited to examine the grievance of the petitioner against the backdrop of the application dated 01.08.2018 (Annexure P-9) and to take a decision thereupon expeditiously and in any case within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

February 08, 2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No