

Sr. No.359

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

**CWP No.4538 of 1996 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 04.09.2019**

Bishamber Dass (now deceased) through LRs

... Petitioners

Versus

Punjab State Electricity Board and another

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- None.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Grievance of the petitioner, at the time of filing the writ petition was that he was not accorded the benefit of Military Service rendered prior to his joining the services with the erstwhile Punjab State Electricity Board.

2. The petitioner is stated to have served in Indian Army from 03.03.1958 to 02.03.1975. During pendency of the writ petition, the petitioner had since expired and his legal representatives were substituted for further prosecution of the petition.

3. Order sheet reflects that despite opportunities, legal representatives were not represented and in the premise fresh notice was directed to be served on them.

4. Office report reflects that attempts to serve the legal representatives have been futile.

5. In the premise, it seems by sheer efflux of time, not only

the relief sought by the petitioner might have been rendered infructuous even otherwise legal representatives may not be interested in prosecuting the petition as despite various opportunities, none has appeared on their behalf.

6. Dismissed as infructuous with liberty to legal representatives of the petitioner to file an appropriate application, in case, any cause of action still survives.

04.09.2019
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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No