

**Sr. No.363
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP No.7261 of 1996 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 27.08.2019

Inderjit Singh (deceased) through LRs

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. G.S.Jagpal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

None for contesting respondents.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Record of the case reflects that the petitioner (since deceased) being represented through his LRs had served in Indian Army for 17 years after having got discharged from the Army on 28.06.1980. Subsequently, the petitioner was found fit for civil employment and was appointed as Assistant Sales Man/Clerk on probation in a Military canteen. He was later on confirmed and was promoted as Accountant also. However, vide impugned order dated 13.05.1996 (Annexure P-8), his services were terminated, leading to the filing of the present writ petition.

I am of the opinion that had the petitioner been alive, depending upon the merits of the case, he could have been taken back in service depending upon his age.

In view of the fact that though he has since expired

during pendency of the writ petition, on the principle of no work no pay, he would not be entitled to any monetary benefits also having not served with effect from the date of his termination.

In the premise, no relief can be given even to legal representatives as no pecuniary benefits are involved herein.

Petition is dismissed as having been rendered infructuous.

27.08.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No