

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

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**CWP No. 7019 of 2019
Date of Decision: 18.3.2019**

Desh Bandhu**.....Petitioner****v.****State of Punjab and others****.....Respondents**

CORAM HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present:- Mr. C.M. Munjal, Advocate, for the petitioner

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (Oral)

Petitioner was serving on the post of Junior Assistant under the Municipal Council, Abohar. Vide order dated 4.10.2018 passed by the office of Deputy Director, Local Government, Ferozepur (Anexure P-4), petitioner was sent to Nagar Panchayat, Arniwala on deputation.

Instant petition is directed against the order dated 8.3.2019 (Annexure P-10) issued by the Director, Local Government, Punjab and to the extent petitioner has been adjusted/sent back to Municipal Council, Abohar.

During the course of arguments counsel was called upon to address submissions as regards any vested right with the petitioner to continue on deputation as also the infirmity in the State action in having sent the petitioner back to his parental department i.e. Municipal Council, Abohar.

On the afore-noticed preposition no submissions have been advanced. Rather Mr. Munjal, learned counsel would voice an apprehension that Municipal Council, Abohar is under severe financial distress and if the petitioner joins back on the post of Junior Assistant under Municipal Council,

Abohar, he would not be released his salary and which would work to his

detriment and grave prejudice.

In the considered view of this Court the apprehension being voiced by counsel is pre-mature. In pursuance to the impugned order dated 8.3.2019 (Annexure P-10), the petitioner is yet to join back at Municipal Council, Abohar and on the post of Junior Assistant.

While declining to interfere in the instant petition, liberty is granted to the petitioner to agitate the matter as and when an eventuality arises whereunder the petitioner inspite of having discharged his duties on the post of Junior Assistant under Municipal Council, Abohar is not released his due wages and salary.

Disposed of.

(Tejinder Singh Dhindsa)
Judge

18.3.2019
Ashwani

Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Reportable	Yes/No