

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

**CWP-5728-1998(O&M)
DECIDED ON: 18.11.2019**

Baij Nath Aggarwal

.. Petitioner

Versus

The Cantonment Board, Jalandhar & Ors.

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. R.K. Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monica Chhibbar Sharma, Sr. DAG Punjab
for respondent No.2.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has, *inter alia*, prayer for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant him higher pay scale and consequential benefits in the light of judgment titled Baij Nath & Ors. Vs. State of Punjab & Anr. 1996(2) SLR 506.

It seems that due to sheer pendency of case for over 21 years, the relief sought has been rendered infructuous.

The writ petition is disposed of as infructuous with a liberty to the petitioner to file appropriate application, if so advised, in case he still wishes to pursue the petition.

Disposed of.

**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

18.11.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No