

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

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**CM-4901-CWP-2019 in/and
CWP-11469-2007**

Date of Decision: 17.10.2019.

Ashok Kumar Sharma and Ors.

... Petitioners

vs.

State of Punjab and Ors.

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Rajiv Atma Ram, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Sube Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. R.S.Bains, Advocate
for respondent No.3.

Ms. Neha Jain, Advocate
for respondent No.4.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

CM-4901-CWP-2019

The present application has been filed to take on record the additional affidavit alongwith the prayer for disposal of the writ petition.

For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed.

Main case is already slated to be at serial No. 301 on the regular Board of this Court. The main case is taken up for hearing today itself.

CWP-11469-2007

Writ petition was filed in the year 2007 wherein the grievance of the petitioners was that private respondents No. 3 and 4 were illegally appointed in a surreptitious manner by backdoor entry on contract basis despite the fact that they were earlier serving in the organization and had taken a pre-mature exit from service by golden handshake.

2. Without adverting on the merits of the case, I am of the opinion that assuming the petitioners had a good case, the same cannot be gone into by sheer efflux of time as at this stage, not only petitioners have retired but on the other hand, respondent No.3 is stated to have expired and respondent No.4 has also retired.

3. In the peculiar premise, without commenting on the merits of the case, writ petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	: Yes/No
Whether Reportable	: Yes/No