

Sr. No. 225

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

**CWP No.2442 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 01.04.2019**

Jarnail Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

UCO Bank and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Mr. Nonish Kumar, Advocate,
for the respondents.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Present writ petition has been filed, *inter alia*, for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to reinstate the petitioner with full back-wages as the services of the petitioner hired as 'Peon' on daily wages were terminated.

Learned counsel for the respondent-Bank points out that the writ petition is not maintainable as the petitioner was not an employee of the bank as admitted by the petitioner himself that he was engaged on daily wages. He submits that even otherwise neither any appointment letter has been appended governing the terms and conditions of his appointment nor any termination letter.

He submits that the petitioner was engaged by the Manager of the Bank at his own level without seeking any prior sanction from the

Bank.

Be that as it may, without going into the merits of the present case, the writ petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to approach the Industrial Tribunal, in accordance with law, in order to seek mitigation of his grievance.

Disposed of accordingly.

01.04.2019

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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No