

Sr. No.124

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

CWP No.21666 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 19.08.2019

Binder Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Inter alia, contends that petitioner is slated to retire on 28.02.2020 and in violation of the Transfer Policy applicable to the employees of State of Punjab, he has been transferred from Panchayat Samiti, Guruharsahai, District Ferozepur to Panchayat Samiti, Arniwala Sheikh Subhan, District Fazilka against a vacant post.

2. Heard and contents of the writ petition have been perused.

3. Transfer being matter of administrative exigencies, Courts generally do not interfere and unless any harsh circumstances are borne out. Transfer is not a punishment but an essential aspect of service, particularly, on a transferable post.

4. In the premise, I am not inclined to interfere in the impugned transfer order in exercise of extraordinary writ

jurisdiction vested under Article 226 of Constitution of India and writ petition is disposed of by directing the respondents to treat the present writ petition as a representation and pass appropriate orders in terms of the Transfer Policy dated 23.04.2018 (Annexure P-8).

5. Let the needful be done within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

6. Disposed of.

19.08.2019
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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No