

HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.4889 of 2020

Date of Decision: 24.02.2020

EHC Ramesh Chander

... Petitioner

VS.

State of Haryana & Ors.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GIRISH AGNIHOTRI

Present: Mr. Aditya Yadav, Advocate for the petitioner

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (Oral)

(1) The petitioner, *inter alia* prays for quashing the order dated 26.04.2017 (P2). Vide order dated 26.04.2017, the petitioner has been awarded punishment of stoppage of 5 annual increments with permanent effect. Against the said order, appeal was filed by the petitioner which has also been rejected on 04.07.2017 (P3). Thereafter the petitioner has filed revision petition dated 04.01.2019 (P4) which is still pending.

(2) Learned counsel submits that in fact the co-delinquent employee of the petitioner was awarded only 'warning to be careful in future' whereas the petitioner has been awarded punishment of stoppage of 05 annual increments with permanent effect. Learned counsel further contends that at this stage since the revision is pending with the authorities from last more than 1 year, the petitioner will be satisfied in case a direction is given to the revisional authority i.e. the Director General of Police, Haryana to decide the same in a time-bound manner.

(3) At this stage, learned counsel also submits that on account of the impugned order and also on account of any further delay in the decision, the petitioner is likely to suffer great prejudice as the petitioner has already been issued a notice for premature retirement on 30.01.2020.

(4) Without commenting upon the merits of the case, this Court deems it appropriate to dispose of this writ petition with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the Revision/representation by passing a speaking order within a period of 3 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(5) So ordered.

24.02.2020
Vvishal

(Girish Agnihotri)
Judge

1. *Whether speaking/reasoned?*
2. *Whether reportable?*

Yes/No
Yes/No