

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

CWP No.674 of 1997

Date of decision: 25.02.2020

Jagjit Singh

.....Petitioner

V/s.

Chandigarh Administration and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Sandeep Siwatch, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate,
Mr. Amanjot Singh Sidhu, Advocate and
Mr. Abhishek, Advocate,
for the respondents.

Sanjay Kumar, J. (Oral)

The petitioner, at the time he filed this writ petition, was a Junior Engineer in the Municipal Corporation at Chandigarh. However, his grievance was with regard to denial of promotion to the post of Sub Divisional Engineer in the Chandigarh Administration.

Mr. Vikas Chatrath, learned counsel appearing for the respondents, would inform this Court that after institution of this case, the petitioner opted for absorption in the Chandigarh Administration again in the year 2007. He further states that in the light of this development, the petitioner would not be entitled to seek redressal of his grievance before this Court in the first instance and would necessarily have to take recourse to the statutory remedy provided to him under the Administrative Tribunals Act,

1985.

The writ petition is accordingly dismissed on this short ground leaving it open to the petitioner to avail the remedy provided to him before the Central Administrative Tribunal constituted under the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985, in accordance with law and due procedure.

No order as to costs.

25.02.2020

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(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

whether speaking/non speaking : Yes/no
whether reportable/non reportable : Yes/no