

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

Sr. No.219

CWP-9268-2020

Date of Decision: 29.09.2020

GURPALJIT SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.N. SATYANARAYANA
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ARCHANA PURI**

Present: Mr. Naresh Ghai, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. S.P. Jain, Additional Solicitor General of India, with
Mr. Rohit Verma, Advocate,
for the respondent-UOI.

S.N. SATYANARAYANA, J.

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing
in the light of COVID-19 pandemic.

The present writ petition is filed on the premise that the
Armed Forces Tribunal, is not functioning, therefore, being left with
no other option, the petitioner moved the present writ petition.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of Union of India
would bring to the notice of this Court that Armed Forces Tribunal
has started functioning in Chandigarh also. Under the circumstance,
we are of the considered opinion that the grievance in the present writ

petition has to be pursued before the Armed Forces Tribunal, in its

jurisdictional Bench. Accordingly, the present writ petition is hereby disposed of, reserving liberty to the petitioner to pursue his grievance before Armed Forces Tribunal.

(S.N. SATYANARAYANA)
JUDGE

(ARCHANA PURI)
JUDGE

29.09.2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No