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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-4365-2018
Date of decision: 12.2.2020

Pankaj Aggarwal **.....Petitioner.**

vs.

Union of India and others **.....Respondents.**

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: - Dr. Rau P.S. Girwar, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. O.P. Dabla, Advocate for respondents No. 1 and 2.

Mr. Aayush Gupta, Advocate for respondents No. 3 to 5.

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Sanjay Kumar, J. (ORAL)

The writ petition was filed assailing certain actions taken by the Institute of Banking Personnel Selection, Officers of which have been impleaded as respondents No. 3 to 5 herein.

The Supreme Court had occasion to consider the status of the afore-stated Institute in *Civil Appeal No. 4455-2019*, titled '*Rajbir Surajbhan Singh vs. The Chairman, Institute of Banking Personnel Selection Mumbai*' and by judgment dated 29.4.2019, the Supreme Court held that the said body was not an authority within the meaning of Article 12 of the Constitution of India.

In the light of the afore-stated edict of the Supreme Court, the writ petition is not maintainable and is accordingly dismissed on this short ground.

No order as to costs.

(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

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