

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

**CWP-34812-2019**

**Date of decision: 11.02.2020**

**Ram Dhan**

**...Petitioner(s)**

**V/s.**

**State of Haryana and others**

**...Respondent(s)**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI.**

Present: Mr. R.S.Nain, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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**RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral).**

By this petition, the petitioner is seeking direction to the respondents to quash the impugned order dated 21.09.2018 (Annexure P-1) vide which he has been voluntarily retired.

The petitioner was appointed as Driver on contract basis on 10.02.1996 and his services were regularized on 01.04.1995. The grievance of the petitioner is that application for his voluntary retirement was given by his son and he was wrongly retired w.e.f. 20.09.2018 vide order dated 21.09.2018. His further grievance is that he could not be retired by the order of General Manager, Haryana Roadways, Karnal.

A perusal of the order dated 21.09.2018 (Annexure P-1) shows that petitioner had been retired voluntarily w.e.f. 20.09.2018 and as per Rule 145(i) he had deposited three months salary amounting to Rs. 1,71,564/- in lieu of three months notice as per note 1 below Rule 145 of HCS General Rule 2016. Hence, the petitioner was conscious that he made application for voluntary retirement and instead of giving three months

notice, he had deposited three months salary. Moreover, this petition has been filed on 26.11.2019 i.e. after a gap of more than one year.

Hence, no ground to interfere in the order dated 21.09.2018 (Annexure P-1) is made out.

Dismissed.

(RITU BAHRI)  
JUDGE

11.02.2020  
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| Whether speaking/reasoned | : | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | : | Yes/No |