

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

CWP-8492-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision: 06.09.2021

Manjit Singh	Versus	...Petitioner
State of Haryana and others		...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Kulwant Singh Dhanora, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurabh Mohunta, DAG, Haryana.
(Presence marked through video conference).

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

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Application is allowed, as prayed for.

Annexure A-1 is taken on record.

Main case

Relying on the Apex Court judgment in “*Hargurpartap Singh Vs. State of Punjab and others*” reported as *2007 (13) SCC 292*, petitioner herein, *inter alia*, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents not to replace him by another set of contractual employee and to reinstate him on the post on which he was already working.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that qua his aforesaid grievance, petitioner submitted a representation dated 03.07.2020 (Annexure P-4), the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date. Hence, the instant petition.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service, learned State counsel, joins proceedings and accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State of Haryana and seeks time to file return.

5. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that let a final decision be taken, by the competent authority on the pending representation dated 03.07.2020 (Annexure P-4).

6. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

7. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to look into the grievance of the petitioner as per representation dated 03.07.2020 (Annexure P-4) and also by keeping in view the contentions raised in the present petition by treating the same as supplementary representation and take a decision, in accordance with law.

8. Let the needful be done within a period of 02 months from today. In case favourable order is passed, benefit thereof be accorded to the petitioner within a period of 01 month thereafter.

9. Disposed of accordingly.

06.09.2021

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No