

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

CWP-11161-1998 (O&M)

Date of decision: August 24, 2022

Bijender

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. R.D. Sharma, DAG Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petition herein, inter alia, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of Certiorari for quashing the order dated 13.05.1997 (Annexure P-3) passed by the respondents whereby claim of the petitioner for regularization in accordance with instructions dated 07/18.03.1996 has been wrongly rejected and further a writ in the nature of Mandamus is sought to be issued directing the respondents to regularize the services of the petitioner.

2. Petition was admitted for hearing on 10.01.2005.

3. When taken up for final adjudication, there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner. It transpires that during pendency of the writ proceedings, learned counsel who had filed the writ petition has expired. Perusal of the Memo of Parties reflects that there is lack of proper particulars of address of the petitioner, which is stated as Bijender s/o Zile Singh, R/o District Rohtak. In the premise, even fresh notice, if given to the petitioner, will be an exercise in futility for lack of proper particulars of his address.

4. It seems that by sheer effluxion of time and pendency of the writ petition for more than 24 years before this Court, either it has been rendered infructuous or even otherwise the petitioner seems to have lost interest in pursuing the same.

5. Be that as it may, writ petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to file an appropriate application in case any cause of action still survives.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

August 24, 2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No