

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

CWP-7674-2002

Date of decision :12.09.2022

Dharam Pal Mohindroo (deceased) and represented by his L.Rs

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Harshvardhan Ranga, Advocate
For the petitioners.

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 to quash the order dated 04.02.1997 (Annexure P-8) whereby benefit of promotion to the post of Senior Accounts Clerk from the date his juniors have been promoted was denied to the petitioner.

2. Petition was admitted for hearing on 04.04.2005.

3. When taken up for final adjudication, after around 24 years, learned counsel for the petitioners is unable to assist the Court for lack of instructions. Learned counsel for the petitioners states that despite attempts, his office could not contact the petitioners. In the premise, no useful purpose would be served to issue fresh notice to the petitioners as the same too would be an exercise in futility.

4. Learned State counsel, at the outset, submits that proceedings before this Court are rendered infructuous. He submits that petitioner died on

08.07.2002 after filing of the writ petition and the benefits of increments and revised pay scale has been granted.

5. Disposed of as having been rendered infructuous as per statement made by learned State counsel.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

September 12, 2022
Vandana

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No