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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-13225-2014 (O&M)
Date of decision: 05.04.2022

KULDEEP SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA & ORS.

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Balkar Singh, Advocate for
Mr. Ramesh Malik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Tapan Kumar Yadav, DAG, Haryana.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J.(ORAL)

The instant writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to promote the petitioner, who is at serial No.9, as Deputy Superintendent of Police, from the date when his junior namely Prem Krishan, who was at serial No.10 in the seniority list was promoted as Deputy Superintendent of Police, Telecommunication vide order dated 03.12.2013, with all the consequential benefits of seniority, promotion, pay and arrears of salary, with interest thereon.

Notice of motion was issued as far back as on 11.07.2014 and the matter has been taken up for disposal today.

Learned State counsel would submit that during the pendency of the proceedings in the High Court, the case of the petitioner was considered and the petitioner stands promoted to the post of Deputy

Superintendent of Police, Telecommunication (Technical) w.e.f. 03.12.2013, vide order dated 24.07.2020 passed by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana, Home Department.

In view of the statement given by the learned State counsel, the instant petition has been rendered infructuous. However, in case the petitioner is not given his consequential benefits as claimed in the instant writ petition on account of his promotion to the post of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Telecommunication (Technical) w.e.f. 03.12.2013, he would be at liberty to approach the department afresh with a representation and the same would be decided positively within a period of three months thereafter by passing a speaking order.

Accordingly, the instant petition is disposed of with liberty aforesaid.

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

05.04.2022

Chetan Thakur

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No