

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

CWP-15480-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: July 27, 2022

Rajbir

....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms. Harsh Rekha Kapoor, AAG Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner herein, *inter alia*, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of Certiorari for quashing the impugned order dated 09.11.2017 (Annexure P-3) passed by respondent No.2 and subsequent order dated 06.06.2018 (Annexure P-5) passed by respondent No.3, whereby earlier transfer orders of the petitioner have been cancelled and he is being transferred from Karnal to Faridabad, alleging that it is contrary to the Haryana Government transfer policy/ guidelines.

2. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record.

3. Transfer being matter of administrative exigency, this Court generally refrains to interfere and treads cautiously, unless it is a case of extreme hardship. The case in hand does not seem to be such so as to deserve any indulgence. Moreover, to transfer an official, or not to, is sole discretion of the employer based on the administrative exigencies. Not doing or doing

so is not a punishment, but an integral part of service conditions. Ordinarily, this court would refrain to direct the respondent-authority to follow up its Policy unless there is an extreme administrative exigency and not to follow up self-profess guidelines.

4. No grounds for interference are made out. Dismissed.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

July 27, 2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No