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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-26585-2016
Date of decision: 01.12.2022

SUKHJIT SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS.

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. K. S. Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mohit Kapoor, Addl. A. G., Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The instant writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing show cause notice dated 22.03.2006 and orders dated 31.12.2015, dated 12.01.2016 and dated 30.03.2016 (Annexures P-6, P-15 and P-17) respectively, whereby the name of the petitioner stood withdrawn from the promotion list D-II (Exemptee) after a period of 13 years and further to consider the claim of the petitioner as officiating Assistant Sub-Inspector.

The instant writ petition was filed in the year 2016 and notice of motion was issued on 21.12.2016. Today, a statement has been made at the bar by learned counsel for the respondents, on instructions from Assistant Sub-Inspector Gurinder Singh, that the petitioner herein, in fact was promoted as officiating Assistant Sub-Inspector with effect from 31.07.2017 vide order

dated 28.05.2019. It is also argued that the petitioner has already sought voluntary retirement on 31.03.2020.

Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that he had made an attempt to contact his client, but is unable to do so.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

In view of the fact that the petitioner herein has already been promoted as officiating Assistant Sub-Inspector with effect from 31.07.2017 vide order dated 28.05.2019 and, therefore, has sought voluntary retirement, it appears that the petitioner would be satisfied with the orders so passed by the respondents-State. However, in case any grievance of the petitioner still survives, he is at liberty to file afresh or revive the instant proceedings.

Consequently, the instant writ petition is disposed of in aforesaid terms.

01.12.2022
Chetan Thakur

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No