

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

CWP-27187-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: November 29, 2022

Ashok Kumar

....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Ravi Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Additional AG Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petition herein, *inter alia*, is for issuance of an appropriate writ in the nature of Certiorari seeking quashing of seniority list dated 22.03.2019 (Annexure P-3) to the extent that respondent No.6 has been made senior most and further order dated 29.08.2019 (Annexure P-4) promoting respondent No.6 as Deputy Superintendent (M&E). Order dated 13.10.2021 (Annexure P-7), whereby representation dated 23.08.2021 of the petitioner has been rejected, orders dated 06.01.2021 (Annexure P-11) & 26.10.2021 (Annexure P-13), whereby respondents No.7 & 8 who are junior to the petitioner have been promoted as Deputy Superintendent (M&E), order dated 12.08.2021 (Annexure P-12), whereby representation of the petitioner has been rejected are assailed which are alleged to be illegal, as well as order dated 05.01.2022 (Annexure P-15) to the extent that petitioner has been denied the promotion from the date his juniors have been promoted.

2. *Qua* his grievance, petitioner has also served a representation dated 22.04.2022 (Annexure P-16), but the same have not been adverted by respondents till date. Hence the petition.

3. On advance service, learned State counsel appears and submits that a decision will be taken by competent authority, either way, on the pending representation dated 22.04.2022 (Annexure P-16) by passing a speaking order.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner also seeks decision on the pending representation, as suggested by learned State counsel.

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents, as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the instant writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to look into the pending representation dated 22.04.2022 (Annexure P-16) of the petitioner, and pass an administrative order, in accordance with law.

7. Let the needful be done as expeditiously as possible.

8. Disposed of accordingly.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

November 29, 2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No