

2023:PHHC:044666

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-3735 of 2023(O&M)
Date of decision: 27.03.2023

Nahar Singh

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Sher Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

The petitioner prays for the issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus to direct the respondents to decide the pending appeal.

The learned counsel representing the petitioner admits that the appeal is not maintainable under the relevant service rules or instructions. In such circumstances, the appeal, if any, is at the most, a representation.

The petitioner retired as Sub Divisional Engineer on 30.04.2008. In **C.Jacob vs. Director of Geology & Mining & Anr., (2008) 10 SCC 115**, the Supreme Court has held that every representation is not required to be decided.

Hence, this court does not find it appropriate to issue any direction.

Dismissed.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

March 27, 2023

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned

: Yes/No

Whether reportable

: Yes/No