

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

RSA No.2340 of 1992 (O&M)

Date of Order:02.11.2023

Gurdeep Singh (Deceased) through LRs.

.Appellant

Versus

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
for the appellant.

Mr. Vikas Arora, AAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J

1. In this second appeal, the correctness of the concurrent findings of fact arrived at by the courts below is challenged by the plaintiff.
2. The appellant questioned the correctness of order dated 23.01.1987, passed by the General Manager, Punjab Roadways while removing him from the service after the departmental inquiry into the allegations of misappropriation of the amount. The appellant, at that point of time was working as a Conductor in the buses operated by the Punjab Roadways.
3. As many as five passengers were found without tickets and it was found that the appellant after recovering the amount from them did not issue the tickets to the passengers. The Inquiry Officer appointed for inquiring into the charges found that the alleged misconduct against the plaintiff has been proved. Ultimately, the disciplinary authority removed him from service.
4. Both the courts have held that there was no error in the

procedure followed by the disciplinary authority as well as the the Inquiry Officer.

5. The learned counsel representing the appellant failed to draw the attention of the court to any substantive misreading or non-reading of the evidence. He also failed to show any perversity in the view taken by the disciplinary authority.

6. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts and discussion, no ground to interfere is made out.

7. Dismissed.

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

November 02, 2023
nt

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:YES/NO
Whether reportable	:YES/NO