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

CWP-9720-2023

Date of Decision: 08.05.2023

RAM CHAND

.... Petitioner

Versus

HARYANA STATE COOPERATIVE SUPPLY AND MARKETING
FEDERATION LIMITED AND OTHERS

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Paramjit Singh Jammu, Advocate, for the petitioner.

JAISHREE THAKUR.J (Oral)

1. The petitioner herein seeks a writ in the nature of certiorari for setting aside the impugned action of respondents No.2 and 3 vide which his services have been verbally terminated w.e.f. 02.12.2022 and he has been relieved whereas his deployment agreement with respondents No.2 and 3 was valid till 31.03.2023.

2. At the very outset, the petitioner herein limits his prayer for the release of arrears of pay for the period from 02.12.2022 to 31.03.2023. In this respect, he has already submitted a representation dated 21.04.2023 Annexure P-3. Counsel would submit that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied in case the said representation, whereupon no action has been taken as yet, is decided in a time bound manner, in accordance with law.

3. Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

4. At this stage, Mr. Anant Kataria, DAG, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.3. Appearance has also been caused by Mr. Padam Kant Dwivedi, Advocate, on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2.

5. Let adequate number of copies of the writ petition be furnished to the counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents during the course of the day.

6. Without commenting on merits of the case and keeping in view the limited prayer made by counsel for the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the official respondents to decide representation dated 21.04.2023 Annexure P-3 of the petitioner within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law and convey the decision to the petitioner. In case of failure to do so, the officer responsible for the lapse would be liable to costs of Rs.20,000/- from his personal pocket, to be deposited with the Punjab and Haryana High Court Advocates Welfare Fund.

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

08.05.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No