

2023:PHHC:156368
CWP-12564-2019
Date of Decision: 07.12.2023

Nirmal Singh and another

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjeev Prakash Sharma

Present None for the petitioner.

Ms. Shivani Sharma, DAG, Punjab.

Sanjeev Prakash Sharma, J.(Oral)

1. Reply has not been filed. However, learned State counsel submits that the writ petition was filed against the order of transfer passed by the State on 01.03.2019, whereby petitioner No.1 was transferred from Gidderbaha to Rupnagar while petitioner No.2 was transferred from Gidderbaha to Malout, District Ludhiana.

2. Learned State counsel submits that this Court passed an interim order on 13.05.2019 and the petitioners continued to perform their duties on the place where they were earlier working. Learned counsel submits that in view thereof, the writ petition has become otiose and the transfer order has become redundant after a period of almost four years.

3. In view of the above, this Court makes the interim order dated 13.05.2019 absolute and so far as order dated 01.03.2019/05.03.2019 relates to the transfer of the petitioners, the same is quashed and set aside. However, the respondents shall be free to pass fresh orders if any administrative

exigency arises. However, the same shall be in terms of the transfer policy which they have themselves notified.

4. Writ petition is disposed of as above.
5. All pending misc. application(s) also stand disposed of.

(SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA)
JUDGE

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1. Whether speaking/reasoned? : Yes/No
2. Whether reportable? : Yes/No