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2023:PHHC:086300

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

**CWP-14507-2023**

**Date of Decision:11.07.2023**

**SURINDER MITTAL**

..... Petitioner

*Versus*

**THE NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY LTD. AND ANR.**

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL**

Present : None.

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**JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)**

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking setting aside of order dated 13.04.2023 (Annexure P-4) and in alternative is seeking direction to respondents to adjudicate representation dated 28.06.2023 (Annexure P-25) of the petitioner, whereby petitioner has been transferred from Chandigarh Regional Office to Divisional Office at Mohali.

2. The petitioner is suffering from Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo and has been advised by Neurology Department, PGIMER, Chandigarh and Fortis Hospital, Mohali not to use stairs. The petitioner is working with New India Assurance Company Ltd since 14.12.1988. He has worked in different offices of the respondent. The petitioner at present is working with Regional Office, Sector-17 Chandigarh and vide order dated 13.04.2023 (Annexure P-4) has been transferred to Mohali office. The Mohali office of respondent is at first floor and there are around 22-24 stairs. There is no lift in the building and

petitioner is not medically advised to use stairs. The petitioner has made various representations to respondent to reconsider transfer of the petitioner.

3. Without commenting upon merits of the case, the respondent is directed to decide representations dated 28.06.2023 (Annexure P-25) of the petitioner within 3 weeks from today.

4. Disposed of.

( JAGMOHAN BANSAL )  
JUDGE

11.07.2023  
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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No        |
| <i>Whether Reportable</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |