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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-14580 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.03.2023

Hem Raj

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Ms. Komal Preet Kaur, Advocate, for
Mr. Deepak Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.K.Kapoor, Addl.A.G., Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

1. The petitioner *inter-alia* prays for the issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari to quash the order passed on 22.05.2018 by the Executive Engineer, Upper Bari Doab Canal Area, Amritsar, while promoting respondent no.6 as a Foreman.

2. While filing the writ petition, the petitioner claims that he, being a senior to respondent no.6, was entitled to be considered for promotion as Foreman before the claim of the respondent no.6 could be considered by the department.

3. In reply to the writ petition, it has been disclosed that the petitioner lost his seniority after he sought transfer from Ranjit Sagar Dam Project to Upper Bari Doab Canal Circle and also he is a junior to respondent no.6

4. The learned counsel representing the petitioner has failed to draw the attention of the court to the material which may prove that the

petitioner is senior in service to respondent no.6.

- 5. Hence, no ground to issue the writ as prayed for is made out.
- 6. Dismissed.
- 7. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

March 21, 2023
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

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Yes/No
Yes/No