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AT CHANDIGARH**

**CWP No. 3383 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of decision : 10.04.2023**

Ranjodh Singh

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab & ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN

Present :- Mr. D.S.Patwalia, Senior Advocate with
 Mr. Gaurav Rana, Advocate
 for the petitioner.

Mr. Inderpreet Singh Kang, AAG, Punjab.

PANKAJ JAIN, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has invoked writ jurisdiction of this Court laying challenge to the order dated 10.04.2016 i.e. final seniority list of Inspectors (Combined Distt. and PAP upto 19.02.2008) claiming that he has been erroneously placed down below.

In the reply filed by way of affidavit of Sukhwant Singh Gill, IPS, Assistant Inspector General of Police, (Personnel), Punjab in para No.2 of the preliminary submissions respondent-State has taken a specific stand to the effect :-

“2. That in CWP No. 4829 of 2009 titled as Inspector Pardeep Singh & others Vs State of Punjab the Hon'ble High vide order dated 16.12.2014 had directed the State to recast seniority list of Distt Police and PAP upto 20.2.2008, when Punjab Police Act, 2007 came in to force. Accordingly common seniority list of Distt Police Cadre and PAP Cadre is being prepared from 1.1.1975 onward and information has been submitted before the Hon'ble High Court in COCP No.1492 of 2015. The Seniority of the petitioner would be decided along with

other officials and he would be granted correct place in the seniority list. The present writ petition of the petitioner is premature.”

Learned senior counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage the grievance of the petitioner stands satisfied as the State is admittedly in the process of recasting the seniority list and as per their stand the seniority of the petitioner would be decided along with other officials and if entitled would be granted correct place in the seniority list.

Consequently, nothing remains to be adjudicated at the hands of this Court.

Petition stands dismissed.

(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

10.04.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No