

2023:PHHC:057327

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

CWP-21481-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 24.04.2023

Navdeep Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- None for the petitioner
Mr.Vishnav Gandhi, DAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)

This writ petition has been filed with the following
substantive prayers:-

*“(i) setting aside the orders dated
12.09.2022 (annexure P-2) passed by respondent no.2
qua petitioner whereby the transfer order dated
15.07.2022 (annexure P-1) has been cancelled by the
respondent no.2*

*(ii) and further prayer that the operation
of the order dated 12.09.2022 (annexure P-2) qua
petitioner be stayed during the pendency of this writ
petition.”*

In substance, the petitioner assails the correctness of the
order dated 12.09.2022 passed by respondent no.2 whereby the
petitioner's transfer order dated 15.07.2022 has been cancelled.

During the course of hearing, reply by way of short affidavit
of the Under Secretary, Govt. of Punjab, Department of Agriculture and
Farmer's Welfare, Punjab, on behalf of respondent no. 1 to 3 has been
filed in the Court. Paragraph 5 of the reply reads as under:-

*“5. That keeping in mind the aforesaid observations made by the Hon’ble Court at present the Government of Punjab, Department of Agriculture and Farmer’s Welfare has taken a conscious decision not to implement the impugned transfer order in the present writ petition. The Government has further decided that in view of the current situation and unavailability of the ‘**Agriculture Development Officer**’ a decision has been taken to post the ‘**Agriculture Extension Officer**’ against the vacancy, which are meant for the Agriculture Development Officer.*

Keeping in view the aforesaid stand, the writ petition has been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of as such, with liberty to the petitioner to file an application for revival, if required.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

24.04.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE