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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-181-2024

Date of Decision:08.01.2024

INDER PAL SINGH

..... Petitioner

Versus

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present : Mr. Aditya Anand, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr.Shivoy Dhir, Senior Panel Counsel  
for the respondents-UOI.

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JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking setting aside of transfer order dated 05.10.2023 (Annexure P-6) whereby respondent No.3 has transferred the petitioner from Rajasthan to State of Arunachal Pradesh.
2. The petitioner at present is posted at Rajasthan. The impugned order of transfer has been passed at Pune and petitioner has been transferred to Arunachal Pradesh. No part of cause of action has arisen within the jurisdiction of this Court.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner on being asked asserts that petitioner is resident of State of Punjab, thus, writ petition before this Court under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India is maintainable.
4. The petitioner is invoking jurisdiction of this Court on the

sole ground that petitioner is resident of State of Punjab. Concededly, no part of cause of action has arisen within jurisdiction of this Court. In the absence of cause of action wholly or partially arising within jurisdiction of this Court, writ petition before this Court is not maintainable. Accordingly on account of lack of territorial jurisdiction, petition is dismissed. The petitioner is at liberty to approach Court of Competent jurisdiction.

( JAGMOHAN BANSAL )

JUDGE

08.01.2024

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