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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 10.01.2024

Uttam Singh ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- Mr. Gourave Bhayyia, Advocate and
Mr. Hitesh Verma, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. Inderpreet Singh Kang, AAG, Punjab

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking setting aside of Annual Confidential Report (ACR) for the period 01.08.2018 to 31.03.2019.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that grievance of the petitioner would be redressed if the respondents are directed to pass a speaking order with respect to representation of the petitioner against grade recorded in his ACR for the period 01.08.2018 to 31.03.2019. The petitioner is holding five Commendation Certificates and these certificates are issued for outstanding service. The Additional Director General of Police (Intelligence), Punjab while passing order dated 12.01.2021 has not considered grievance of the petitioner in true spirit. The order dated 12.01.2021 passed by ADGP is whimsical and cryptic.

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3. Mr. Inderpreet Singh Kang, AAG, Punjab, submits that if the Court directs, the aforesaid authority would reconsider the matter and pass a reasoned order.
4. From the perusal of order dated 12.01.2021, it is evident that ADGP has passed the said order without considering representation of the petitioner and request of the petitioner has been rejected by passing a single line order. No reason has been recorded.
5. In the wake of aforesaid facts and circumstances, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the respondents to reconsider representation of the petitioner and pass a reasoned order within three months from today.
6. Disposed of in above terms.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

10.01.2024
Mohit Kumar

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No