

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

(116)

CWP-3419-2024

Date of Decision : February 15, 2024

Mahender Singh**.. Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and others****.. Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Rahul Deswal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has only one year to go before he superannuates and he is being forced to give his data on the portal for the transfer, which is totally arbitrary and illegal especially when as per the policy issued by the Government of Haryana, the employees, who are nearing retirement, should be allowed to be retained at the place of posting of their choice.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the grievance raised in the present writ petition has already been raised by the petitioner through a representation dated 08.02.2024 (Annexure P-3), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representation by passing an appropriate speaking order.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Harish Nain, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that in case, the representation dated 08.02.2024 (Annexure P-3) has not been decided by the authorities concerned, the same will be decided by the authorities concerned within a period of two weeks of the receipt of copy of this order.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned counsel for the respondents, the present writ petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

7. Ordered accordingly.

February 15, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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