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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-17995-1998 (O&M)

Date of decision: 25.07.2024

JAGDISH SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

HVPNL AND ANOTHER

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Ms. Geeta Rani, Advocate for the respondents.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

1. The present writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of *certiorari* for quashing the seniority list (Annexure P-3) with a further prayer to direct the respondents to assign seniority to the petitioner on the basis of confirmation w.e.f. 19.12.1970 and to release all consequential benefits to the petitioner which accrued to him.
2. At the outset, learned counsel for the respondents submitted that the petitioner has already died and there is no application available on the record for impleading the legal representatives of the petitioner. She further submitted that even otherwise also the dispute was with regard to seniority and the present writ petition is of the year 1998, which is almost 26 years ago and since the petitioner has already died, nothing would survive in the present petition.
3. In view of the above, the present writ petition is dismissed.

25.07.2024

Chetan Thakur

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No