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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-8768-1996
Decided on: 12.01.2024

Onkar Mal Bishnoi ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Jindal, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

Mr. Rajvir Singh Sihag, Advocate
for respondent No.4.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a writ in the nature of prohibition, prohibiting the respondents from passing the item No.16 of the Agenda to be held in the meeting of Board of Directors of respondent No.3 and with a further prayer that the services of the petitioner be not terminated without due process of law as the petitioner had already acquired two years probation and with one year more than even if the maximum be taken as three years and deemed to have been confirmed for the post.
2. The present writ petition is of the year 1996. The learned counsel through whom the present writ petition was filed has already passed away. On 17.01.2020, Mr. R.K. Hooda, Advocate has appeared on behalf of the petitioner and had stated that he has no instructions in the matter and he has appeared in the case only because he was working as an assistant counsel to the

counsel, who had filed the present writ petition. Therefore, notice was issued to

the petitioner.

3. The Registry has reported that the notice issued to the petitioner has been received back unserved as he is not the employee of the bank.
4. The matter pertains to the year 1996 which is almost 28 years old and the subject matter may not survive till date considering the prayer of the petitioner.
5. In view of the above, the present writ petition is dismissed for non-prosecution.
6. However, liberty is granted to the petitioner to revive the present writ petition in case so desired by filing an appropriate application.

12.01.2024
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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned: | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether reportable: | Yes/No |