



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

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CWP-7351-2000 (O&M)
Date of decision : 17.09.2024

Darshan Singh

....Petitioner

V/S

Punjab Mandi Board and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Sehgal, Addl. A.G., Punjab
for respondents No.1 and 2.

Mr. Jasbir Singh, Advocate for
Mr. J.S. Maanipur, Advocate for respondent No.3.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner has filed the instant writ petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of mandamus, directing respondents No.1 and 2 to promote the petitioner as Executive Engineer (Public Health) in the Punjab Mandi Board from the date junior to him has been promoted.

2. Since no one was present on behalf of the petitioner and respondent No.3 on 07.08.2024, notices were ordered to be issued to the petitioner and Mr. J.S. Maanipur, Advocate, counsel for respondent No.3.

3. As per office report, Mr. J.S. Maanipur, Advocate has been informed through e-mail and notice issued to the petitioner has been received back unserved with the report that he is now residing at Sector 68, Mohali.



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4. Learned counsel for respondents No.1 and 2 submits that the petitioner has retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation as S.D.O. (Public Health) on 29.05.2015 and respondent No.3 has also retired from service as Superintending Engineer on 08.12.2014.

5. Since there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner, the present petition is dismissed for non-prosecution. However, liberty is granted to the petitioner to revive the same in case any cause still survives.

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No