



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.141

LPA-1366-2023 (O&M)

Date of decision: 13.08.2024

Jagir Singh

....Appellant

Versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK MANCHANDA**

Present: Mr. M.K. Pundir, Advocate
for the appellant.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

1. The present intra court appeal is directed against the judgment dated 13.02.2023 passed by a learned Single Judge of this Court dismissing the appellant's writ petition on the ground of delay and latches.

2. After hearing learned counsel for the appellant and scrutinizing the record as also going through the impugned judgment, we find that through order dated 11.03.2003 the Superintendent of Police, Yamuna Nagar awarded punishment to the appellant for the acts of omission and commission which had been proved against him through holding of a regular departmental enquiry. The appellant preferred an appeal against the aforesaid punishment order in which through order dated 24.05.2006 the Inspector General of Police, Ambala Range, Ambala reduced the appellant's punishment but upheld the finding of guilt recorded against him. The appellant then filed a revision petition before the Director General of Police, Haryana, which was dismissed in the year 2008. After 10 years of the



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dismissal of his revision petition, the appellant preferred to petition this Court to challenge the aforesaid three orders.

3. The inordinate delay of 10 years on the appellant's part in approaching this Court remains unexplained even before us. Therefore, we find that the learned Single Judge committed no error in dismissing the appellant's writ petition on the ground of delay and laches.

4. Dismissed.

5. All pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

(DEEPAK MANCHANDA)
JUDGE

August 13, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No