

2024:PHHC:020775

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-4617-1997
Decided on :14.02.2024

Ashwani Kumar Sharma

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Petitioner

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL
PRESENT: None for the petitioner.
Mr. Ferry Sofat, Addl. A. G., Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J.(ORAL)

- 1. Present Civil Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus/prohibition/certiorari/Quo warranto regarding respondent No. 3's *locus standi*/continuance in PSE and obstruction on this account for consideration of petitioner for promotion as Executive Engineer.
- 2. Learned State counsel has submitted that that the present matter pertains to the year 1997 and petitioner would have retired from the service and thus, the present petition in all probability has been rendered infructuous.
- 3. None has appeared on behalf of the petitioner to rebut the said aspect.
- 4. Even, on the last 3 dates, none had appeared on behalf of the petitioner.
- 5. In view of the above, the present writ petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous. Liberty is granted to the petitioner to move an application for revival of the same in case any cause survives.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

14.02.2024

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Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/ No
Whether reportable?	Yes /No