



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

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CWP-3867-2013**Date of Decision: 17.07.2024**

Gurdev Raj

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR**

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Surya Kumar, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vijay Kumar Kaushal, Advocate for respondents No.2 to 5.

NAMIT KUMAR, J (ORAL)

The present writ petition has been filed by the petitioner seeking writ of mandamus directing the respondents to regularize the services of the petitioner.

Learned counsel for respondents No.2 to 5 submits that the services of the petitioner have been regularized w.e.f. 03.01.2017 and he has already retired from the service.

On the last three consecutive dates of hearing i.e. 16.10.2023, 22.11.2023 and 02.02.2024, none had put in appearance on behalf of the petitioner. Even today, there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed for non-prosecution. However, liberty is granted to the petitioner to move an application for restoration of the present petition in case any cause survives.

17.07.2024

D.Bansal

**(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE**