

CWP-24255 of 2024

2024:PHHC:125281



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

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Date of decision: 23.09.2024

Angad Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Warehousing Corporation and another

.....Respondents

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

Present: - Mr. J.P. Rana, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, Advocate,  
for the respondents.

**NAMIT KUMAR, J.**

1. Instant writ petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to decide the statutory departmental appeal dated 03.06.2024 (Annexure P-3) filed by the petitioner against the punishment order dated 29.04.2024 (Annexure P-2) issued under endorsement No.PWC/EST/E-10/EF-374/7226-35/24 dated 03.05.2024 passed by respondent No.1, vide which punishment of stoppage of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect along with recovery of Rs.6,986/- has been imposed on the petitioner. Further prayer has been made to stay the operation of order dated 29.04.2024 (Annexure P-2) till respondent No.2 decides the appeal dated 03.06.2024 (Annexure P-3), filed by the petitioner.



2. Learned counsel for the petitioner prays for deciding the appeal dated 03.06.2024 (Annexure P-3) filed by the petitioner expeditiously by passing a speaking order in a time-bound manner.
3. Notice of motion.
4. Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and raised no objection to the innocuous prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner.
5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the case file.
6. Respondent No.2-Appellate Authority is directed to decide the appeal dated 03.06.2024 (Annexure P-3) filed by the petitioner, in accordance with law by passing a speaking order as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.
7. The petition stands disposed of.

23.09.2024  
R.S.

(NAMIT KUMAR)  
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No