

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

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CWP-29525-2023

Date of Decision :05.01.2024

Praveen Kumar Choudhary**...Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and others****....Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Ms. Shaveta Sanghi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though, the petitioner had overstayed the leave period and is not attending his duties for the last many years but nothing has come on record that the services of the petitioner has been terminated by the respondents hence, once the petitioner has submitted his joining report, it was incumbent upon the respondents to pass an order on the said joining report of the petitioner but as no order has been passed by the respondents so far, the petitioner has approached this Court to seek direction to the respondents to allow the petitioner to join his duties as the petitioner continue to be employee of the respondents even as of now.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of filing a representation dated 22.11.2023 (Annexure P/3), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at

this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representation.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case the representation dated 22.11.2023 (Annexure P/3) has been received from the petitioners and is still pending consideration with the respondents, the same will be decided by the respondents in accordance with law and an appropriate order will be passed within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that keeping in view the statement of the learned counsel for the respondents, present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

6. Ordered accordingly.

January 05, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No