

**CWP-34769-2024****1****IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH****(108)****CWP-34769-2024****Date of Decision : December 20, 2024****Haricharan Singh****.. Petitioner****Versus****State of Punjab and others****.. Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Sukhcharan Singh Sahoke, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. In the present writ petition, the grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the petitioner was adopted by the deceased who was in the service of respondent-Department after the death of his son in the year 2018 and after the death of the employee namely Sh. Hardev Singh in the year 2022, the claim of the petitioner for compassionate appointment is not being considered only on the ground that the petitioner is the adopted son whereas, even the adopted son is entitled for the benefit of compassionate appointment.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the respondents are liable to be directed to consider the claim of the petitioner and pass an appropriate order in the facts and circumstances of the present case.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, learned Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the

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respondents.

5. Learned State counsel submits that in case, the claim of the petitioner is still pending consideration with the authorities concerned and no final order has been passed, appropriate order on the claim of the petitioner will be passed by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and in case, after the decision any relief is to be extended to the petitioner, the same will be extended, otherwise due reasons will be mentioned in the speaking order to be passed for not accepting the claim of the petitioner for his information and necessary action.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present writ petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

7. Ordered accordingly.

December 20, 2024*harsha***(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No