



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

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**CWP No.437 of 2020
Date of Decision: 27.11.2024**

Rajinder Singh Mahi

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Mr. Charanpreet Singh, AAG, Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

On the last two dates of hearing, no one had come present on behalf of the petitioner. Today again, there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

In the present petition, the petitioner is seeking antedated promotion under the reserved category to the post of Senior Assistant alongwith arrears. As per the respondents, the petitioner has never been promoted to the post of Senior Assistant hence, the question of antedating his promotion does not arise and the petitioner was only directed to discharge the duties on the said post. As per the department, no junior of the petitioner has been promoted to the post of Senior Assistant in preference to him.

Probably, keeping in view the said assertion on behalf of the respondents, the petitioner might not be interested in pursuing the present petition and that is why, nobody is appearing on his behalf to press the present petition. This Court is left with no choice but to dismiss the petition.

Accordingly, present petition is dismissed for non-prosecution.

**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE**

27.11.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No