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125 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARHCOC-178-2025 (O&M)
Decided on:-31.01.2025

Harwinder Singh

....Petitioner..

VS.

Balwinder Singh Sidhu, Commissioner
Agriculture-cum-Chief Conservator of Soils, Punjab,
Department of Soil & Water Conservation and anr.

...Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. B.S. Seemar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Athar Ahmed, DAG, Punjab.

HARKESH MANUJA J. (Oral)

1. Compliance affidavit of Ms. Amarbir Kaur Bhullar, Secretary, Subordinate Services Selection Board, Punjab on behalf of respondent No.2 has been filed in Court today and the same is taken on record.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Mr. Umesh Kumar, O/o Chief Conservator and Mr. Manpreet Singh, O/o SSSB, submits that the name of the petitioner has been recommended by respondent No.2-Subordinate Selection Service Board, Punjab. He further submits that the petitioner has been called for verification and the process of his appointment shall be concluded within a period of two weeks from today.

2. In view of the above, learned counsel for the petitioner does not want to press the present petition.

3. Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed as not pressed. Rule

stands discharged.

4. However, in case the needful is not done within the afore-stated period, as per undertaking, the petitioner would be at liberty to seek revival of the present contempt petition and in that eventuality, the erring concerned officer(s) would be liable to pay additional sum of Rs.50,000/- as costs from his/her own pocket in favour of the petitioner towards litigation expenses, immediately, i.e. on the first date of listing of revival application.

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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

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