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

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**CWP-13834-2025 (O&M).
Date of Decision: 15.05.2025.**

RAM CHANDER

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

Present: Mr. A.P. Bhandari, Advocate, with
Ms. Bhargavi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Tapan Kumar, DAG, Haryana.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Claiming regularization of the services of the petitioner as per policy dated 01.10.2003 and contending that the petitioner is continuing in service, the instant writ petition has been filed.

2 Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner contends that the petitioner is working as Workman with the respondent Forest Department since 1996 on daily wages but his services were illegally terminated on 01.11.2014. Eventually, the petitioner was reinstated in service on 14.10.2017 pursuant to the orders passed by the Labour Court. He contends that the benefit

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of regularisation w.e.f. 01.10.2003 has been denied to him even though the similarly situated employees including his juniors have been regularised by the respondent Department recently. He submits that the petitioner has submitted a representation dated 23.12.2024 (Annexure P-11), however, no decision has been taken thereupon. He further submits at this juncture the petitioner would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the competent authority to decide the representation submitted by him by passing a speaking and reasoned order in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

3 Notice of motion.

4 Mr. Tapan Kumar, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and submits that he has no objection to the aforesaid prayer being granted.

5 Accordingly, with the consent of the parties and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Division, Kaithal, District Kaithal, Haryana, to decide the representation dated 23.12.2024 (Annexure P-11) and to pass a speaking and reasoned order thereupon in accordance with law within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

May 15, 2025.
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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