

2025:PHHC:032176



IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-22204-2018
Date of Decision: 06.03.2025

PAWAN KUMAR

... Petitioner

VERSUS

FOOD CORPORATION OF INDIA AND ORS

... Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Sandeep Singal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sumit Jain, Mr. Tarun Seth and Mr. Ananya Ahluwalia,
Advocates for the respondents.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Challenge in the present petition is to the orders dated 04.11.2011 and 17.08.2017 as well as to the reply to legal notice dated 11.04.2018, whereby the claim of the petitioner for *ex-gratia* compassionate appointment has been rejected.

Learned counsel for the respondents has made a reference to various judgments passed by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in ***CWP-24512 of 2017*** titled as '***Neeraj Kumar Vs. FCI and Others***' decided on ***16.04.2024***; ***CWP-8222 of 2017*** titled as '***Rani Devi Vs. FCI and Others***' decided on ***01.05.2024***; ***CWP-28804 of 2023*** titled as '***Harjinder Singh Vs. FCI and Others***' decided on ***27.02.2024*** and the judgment of a Division Bench of this Court passed in ***LPA No.1003 of 2024*** titled as '***Jogindro Versus Oriental Bank of Commerce and Others***' decided on ***25.04.2024***, wherein the claims, similar to the present petition, have been dismissed.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner is not in a position to controvert the applicability of the aforesaid judgments to the present case.

In view of the same, the instant petition is also dismissed in terms of *CWP-24512 of 2017* titled as ‘*Neeraj Kumar Vs. FCI and Others*’ decided on *16.04.2024*.

MARCH 06, 2025.
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

: Yes/No

: Yes/No