



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

206-2

CWP-2329-2019

Date of decision: 14.05.2026

Rajinder Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

Punjab Agricultural University & others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. Sharwan Sehgal, Advocate (through VC)
for the petitioner.

Mr. B.S. Khehar, Advocate
for the respondents.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of certiorari, for quashing the order dated 04.09.2017 (Annexure P-3), whereby respondent No.4 has been given the current duty charge for the post of Executive Engineer (C-I/II). Further, a writ of mandamus has been sought for directing the respondents to give the said current duty charge to the petitioner, with all consequential benefits, as he is senior to respondent No.4 and is fully qualified for the said post.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the instant petition has been rendered infructuous as during the pendency of the present petition, the petitioner has already been promoted to the post of Executive Engineer (Civil).

3. Disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

14.05.2026

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**(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE**

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