

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-6667-2026
Date of decision: 06.03.2026

Sandeep KaushalPetitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and anotherRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. Sunny K. Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

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 speaking order dated 01.09.2025 (Annexure P-12). Further, a writ of mandamus has also been sought for directing the respondents to implement quota in its true spirit and prevent bulk direct quota filling after long gaps and adopt corrective safeguards for Superintendent Grade-I promotions, including (a) 75%-25% ratio, and/or (b) separate seniority lists for further promotions, and/or (c) separate promotional posts for direct recruits.
2. After arguing the case for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner wishes to withdraw the present petition to enable him to challenge the relevant provisions of the rules governing the services of the petitioner for promotion to the post of Superintendent.
3. Dismissed as withdrawn with aforesaid liberty.

06.03.2026
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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No