



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

CWP No.6585 of 2026

Date of Decision: 06.03.2026

Sakander Singh Virk

....Petitioner

VS.

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Ms. Neha Rani, Advocate and
Mr. Rajender Kumar, Advocate
Ms. Kirti, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Ravi Partap Singh, D.A.G, Haryana
Ms. Ambika Luthra, Addl. A.G., Haryana
Mr. Akshit Pathania, AAG, Haryana

Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondent to allow him to work till the age of 60 years in the light of Government instructions dated 19.02.2021 and Section 34 of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. He is further seeking direction to respondent to stay his retirement w.e.f. 28.02.2026.

2. The petitioner joined Punjab Police as Constable on 08.11.1989. He rose through the ranks and was promoted as Sub Inspector. The respondent vide letter dated 19.02.2021 increased age of retirement of



disabled employees from 58 years to 60 years. A Board of doctors at Civil Hospital, Jalandhar vide certificate dated 05.12.2025 certified that the petitioner was suffering from 25% locomotor disability and 44 % overall disability. The respondent no. 4-Senior Superintendent of Police, Jalandhar (Rural) vide communication dated 03.02.2026 forwarded his case for extension in service from 58 years to 60 years DIG, Jalandhar vide communication dated 09.02.2026 asked SSP to examine the matter at his own level. He again preferred representation dated 13.02.2026 seeking extension in service. DGP vide letter dated 19.02.2026 asked DIG to consider his request as per Government instructions dated 19.02.2021. He has attained the age of 58 years on 28.02.2026.

3. Learned State counsel submits that respondent has already passed speaking order dated 23.02.2026, thus, instant petition has rendered infructuous.

4. Faced with this, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the petition with liberty to assail speaking order dated 23.02.2026.

5. Dismissed as withdrawn with aforesaid liberty.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

06.03.2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes	
Whether reportable:		No