



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-10560-2026
Date of decision : 08.04.2026

IC 75613F Maj (now Lt.Col)
Sumit Yadav
...Petitioner

Vs.

Union of India and others
...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK MANCHANDA

Present: Mr. Shailendra Kumar Singh, Advocate and
Mr. Chakshu Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Pathak, Sr.Panel Counsel
for the respondents No.1 to 4.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(Oral)

1. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that though, the Tribunal has recorded a finding that the 'Reproof' awarded dated 28.10.2023 (for having displayed immature conduct while handling trivial issue with Major Deepak Sharma) will not harm career of the petitioner in promotion or otherwise in any manner, but the apprehension is that, the same will be observed against the petitioner while considering him for further promotion or any other benefit for which the petitioner is entitled for as per his service career.
2. Notice of motion.
3. Mr. Gaurav Pathak, Sr.Panel Counsel accepts notice on behalf

respondent Nos.1 to 4 and submits that once, a finding has already been given by the Tribunal and as same has not been challenged by the Union, the same is binding upon the Army Authorities in full force to mean that the Reproof awarded will not come against the petitioner or cause prejudice in any manner qua his promotional chances or in any other manner in his service career.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the stand taken by the respondents, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further, at this stage.
5. Ordered accordingly.
6. Pending civil miscellaneous application, if any, stands disposed of.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

(DEEPAK MANCHANDA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No