



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

CWP-33944-2019

Date of Decision: **04.02.2026**

BALTEJ SINGH SIDHU

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present: Mr. Puneet Gupta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Pratibha Bali, AAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI, J.(Oral)

1. Through the instant petition, as cast under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, a challenge is thrown to the chargesheet dated 14.11.2019, received on 18.11.2019, on the basis the 2nd year extension in service granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 30.09.2019 (Annexure P-23), has been cancelled.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, fairly, informs this Court that much water has flown after filing of the instant petition, as the petitioner, had admittedly submitted his reply to the chargesheet, and even an inquiry officer was appointed, and, now finally, the departmental proceedings have culminated by passing an order of imposing penalty upon him, which has also been put to challenge in CWP-3871-2022, and is pending consideration before this Court. Therefore, he does not wish to press the instant writ petition, however, reserving liberty to the petitioner

to raise all the pleas, as have been raised through the instant petition in the writ petition bearing CWP-3871-2022.

4. Consequently, the instant writ petition, is **dismissed** as not pressed, with the asked for liberty to the petitioner.

5. All pending application(s), if any, stand **disposed** of accordingly.

February 04, 2026

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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned.	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable.	:	Yes/No