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

COCP-5069-2024

Date of decision: 01.10.2025

Malook Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

Ajoy Sharma and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Ramesh Kumar, Advocate for the petitioners.
(Through Video Conferencing)

Mr. Sandeep Singh, AAG, Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

1. This is a Contempt Petition filed under Sections 10 & 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 for initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondents for willful and intentional disobedience of the order dated 26.02.2024 (Annexure P-1) passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court.

2. Learned counsel for the respondents-State has filed an affidavit dated 26.09.2025 today in the Court which is taken on record. Along with the affidavit, they have placed on record a detailed speaking order dated 07.03.2025 passed in pursuance of the order passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court and learned counsel has pointed out that as has been detailed in the chart, which is at page 11 of the affidavit, none of the



petitioners have completed ten years of service. It is submitted that the Coordinate Bench of this Court while disposing of the writ petition had observed that the petitioners who had completed ten years of service by the end of December, 2006 subject to the other conditions, were entitled to regularization. It is submitted that in view of the same, the order passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court has been complied with.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that the petitioners are not satisfied with the said speaking order passed by the State and has submitted that the present contempt petition be disposed of but liberty be granted to the petitioners to challenge the said speaking order, in accordance with law.

4. In view of the above, the present contempt petition is disposed of with liberty aforesaid.

01.10.2025

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No