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

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Date of Decision: 15.02.2025

Hakam Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: - Mr. Bhim Sen Sehgal, Advocate for the petitioners

Mr. Aman Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India are seeking direction to respondents to grant benefits of military service rendered by them during Second Emergency of 1971.
2. The petitioners joined Punjab Police during 1982-88 and retired during 2007. They are claiming benefit of military service. Their claim is based upon notification dated 10.04.2012 whereby Rule 8-B in Punjab Recruitment of Ex-Servicemen Rules, 1982, was inserted.
3. Learned State counsel submits that issue involved in the instant petition in no more *res integra*. This Court vide judgment dated 04.04.2024 passed in ***CWP No.455 of 2018, Avtar Singh v. State of Punjab and others*** has already declined claim of similarly situated officials.

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4. Faced with aforesaid judgment, learned counsel for the petitioners expressed his inability to controvert applicability of aforesaid judgment to the facts of present case.

5. In the wake of statement of both sides, the present petition stands dismissed.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

15.02.2025*Mohit Kumar*

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No