



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

CWP-28517-2025

Date of Decision : **23.09.2025**

JASPREET SINGH

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : Ms. Sangita Dhanda, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Sahil R. Bakshi, AAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI. J.(Oral)

1. Through the instant writ petition filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, a challenge is thrown to transfer order dated 15.09.2025 (Annexure P-1), wherethrough the petitioner has been transferred from Ropar to Talwara.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, *inter alia*, while throwing challenge to the transfer order (*supra*), submits that his transfer is against the Transfer Policy (Annexure P-4), adopted by the department, as being a couple case, he has not yet completed 05 years of service at his present place of posting.

3. This Court has put a pinpoint query to learned counsel for the petitioner, as to whether, before or after, the passing of transfer order (*supra*), the petitioner has ever approached the authority concerned or not, for redressal of his grievance, to which she fairly answered in 'negative'.

4. In view of the above, at this stage, this Court does not find any ground to interfere in the transfer order (*supra*), as petitioner ought to have first approached the competent authority concerned for redressal of his grievance, instead of directly approaching this Court. Therefore, the instant petition is a premature motion.

5. Consequently, a liberty is afforded to the petitioner to approach the authority concerned, at first instance.

6. In case, the petitioner approaches the authority concerned within a period of three days from the date of passing of this order, by filing a representation, the latter concerned, shall make its all endeavours to decide the same within a period of 07 days thereafter, as per the rules, governing the service conditions the petitioner.

7. **Disposed of** accordingly.

(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

September 23, 2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No
Whether Reportable. : Yes/No