



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

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CWP-15838-2014 (O&M)
Date of decision: 20.02.2025

Satish Chand Sharma

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and Another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Onkar Singh, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG Punjab

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

1. The prayer made in the present petition is for directing the respondent to promote the petitioner to the post of Superintendent Grade-I from 01.04.2014 as also to pay salary for the said higher post held by him.
2. The petitioner was promoted as Store Supervisor on 05.10.2012 and retired on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.04.2013, whereafter he was granted one year extension till 30.04.2014, while his senior Ram Parkash retired after extension on 31.12.2013 from the post of Superintendent Grade-II, which is equivalent to the one on which he was working, but grade pay is different.
3. There is neither any averment nor any instructions relied upon mandating that DPC was to be held periodically or that any junior of the petitioner was promoted. Insofar as, pay for performing the responsibilities for the post of



Superintendent Grade-I is concerned, as averred in para No. 6 and 8, the same having been categorically denied by respondents in the corresponding paras of the reply filed by way of affidavit of Director Sports, Punjab dated 19.10.2015, by stating that no order assigning officiating charge of the said post was passed, which even during the course of arguments, could not be rebutted.

3. Petition dismissed.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

20.02.2025

M.Kamra

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