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

**CWP-4798-2024(O&M)
Date of decision : 09.10.2025**

Varinder Bansal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA

Present: Mr. H.C. Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Neha Sonawane, AAG, Punjab.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing the circular/letter dated 12.12.2006 (Annexure P-10) whereby a new structured defined Contribution Pension Scheme for new entrants to Punjab Government Service, with retrospective effect from 01.01.2004, was introduced.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner fairly submits that during the pendency of instant writ petition, State of Punjab has issued a notification dated 22.05.2025. Photocopy of the same is taken on record. He submits that in the light of the said notification dated 22.05.2025, the instant writ petition has rendered infructuous.

3. In view of above, the present writ petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

09.10.2025**(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)***d.gulati***JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No