



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

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**CWP-813-2025 (O&M)  
Date of decision : 15.01.2025**

JOGINDER SINGH

..... Petitioner

**VERSUS**

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

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Present :- Mr. Amandeep Singh Manaise, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Aditya Sharda, DAG, Punjab.

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**Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)**

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that the order which has been passed by the Chief Engineer dated 14.12.2024 (Annexure P-6) is contrary to the settled principle of law settled by the Full Bench of this Court in *Kesar Chand Vs. State of Punjab, 1988(5) SLR 27* as well as the rules governing the service according to which, the service rendered on daily wage prior to the regularization is to be treated as a qualifying service for computing the pensionary benefits.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Mr. Aditya Sharda, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and on instructions submits that the impugned order dated 14.12.2024 (Annexure P-6) be treated as withdrawn. Learned counsel for the respondents further submits that a fresh order will be passed on the



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claim of the petitioner by the authorities concerned keeping in mind the judgment of full Bench in **Kesar Chand (supra)** as well as the rules governing the service on the said aspect within a period of 08 weeks from the date of the receipt of certified copy of this order.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

5. Ordered accordingly.

**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

**15.01.2025**

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Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether Reportable :

Yes/No  
Yes/No