

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

CIVIL APPEAL NO(s). 3598 OF 2001

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.

Appellant (s)

VERSUS

SOM NATH

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment
and with office report)

Date: 29/08/2007 This Appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. MATHUR

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MARKANDEY KATJU

For Appellant(s)

Mr. Ajay Pal, Adv.
Ms. Preeti Singh, Adv.
Ms. Sukhda, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Sudhir Walia, Adv.
Mr. Mahinder Singh Dahiya, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
ORDER

The appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed order. No order as to
costs.

(Ajay Kr. Jain)
Court Master

(Neeru Bala Vij)
Court Master

(Signed order is placed on the file)

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CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

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ORDER

1. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
2. We have perused the impugned order.
3. The admitted position is that the respondent was a Pump Operator and was placed in Class 'IV' but his payscale was revised. The simple revision of payscale will not change the category of a person from Class IV to Class III.

Therefore, we are satisfied that the view taken by the High Court is correct and we do not find any reason to interfere with the impugned order. The appeal is, therefore, dismissed. No order as to costs.

J.

(A.K.MATHUR)

J.

(MARKANDEY KATJU)

New Delhi
August 29, 2007