LOKPAL OF INDIA Plot No.6, Institutional Area, Phase-II Vasant Kunj, New Delhi - 110070

Complaint No.

56/2022

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Date

31 May, 2023.

Coram

Justice Pradip Kumar Mohanty

Hon'ble Acting Chairperson

Justice Abhilasha Kumari

Judicial Member

Shri Dinesh Kumar Jain

Member

Smt. Archana Ramasundaram

Member

Shri Mahender Singh

Member

ORDER

Perused the complaint.

The original complaint is in Punjabi which was got translated into English. The complainant has stated that his father was working in the District Industries Centre, Bhatinda. He died in an accident and the complainant got a job on compassionate grounds in District Industries Centre, Mohali. The complainant has alleged his services have been terminated by the Department of Industries, Govt. of Punjab and his repeated pleas for reinstatement/relief have elicited no response from the concerned officers of the State Government.

After considering the complaint, we are of the view that the complaint is against the officials of the State Govt. of Punjab, hence, is outside the purview of the Lokpal & Lokayuktas Act, 2013. Moreover, the issue

mentioned in the complaint is a service matter which is again outside the purview of the Act. We are, therefore, not inclined to pass any order in the matter. We, however, direct that the complaint may be forwarded to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Punjab for taking necessary action as deemed fit.

The complaint, accordingly, stands disposed of.

(COURT MASTER) LOKPAL OF INDIA

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