31.3.2009 Present:

Mr. H.K. Paul, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.K. Sharma, Sr. Addl. A.G. with Mr. Rajinder Dogra, Addl. A.G. and Mr. Vikas Rathore, Dy.A.G. for the

respondents.

In sequel to order dated 26.3.2009, the learned Senior

Additional Advocate General has apprised the Court that the departmental

proceedings initiated against the petitioner were closed vide order dated

23.3.1996 passed by the Superintendent of Police, Kullu, District Kullu.

It is not disputed by the learned Senior Additional

Advocate General that the petitioner has not been considered for

promotion in 1984 and 1988 and his juniors were considered and

promoted to the posts of Assistant Sub Inspector, Sub Inspector and

Inspector. In case the junior persons have been considered for the posts of

Assistant Sub Inspector, Sub Inspector and Inspector, the petitioner was

also required to be considered for promotion. In these circumstances, the

respondents are directed after the closer of the inquiry on 23.3.1996 to

consider the case of the petitioner for promotion to the posts of Assistant

Sub Inspector, Sub Inspector and Inspector for the relevant period i.e.

3.10.1984 to 1988 from the date his juniors were promoted. In case he is

found suitable for promotion to these posts, he will be held entitled to all

consequential benefits. With these directions, the writ petition is disposed

of. No costs.

(Rajiv Sharma), J.

March 31, 2009.

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