IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No.4365 of 2025 Date of Decision: 30.06.2025

Date of Decision. 50.00.2025

Shakti Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Himachal Pradesh & Ors.

.....Respondents

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sandeep Sharma, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?

For the Petitioner: Mr. R.L.Verma & Mr. D.Bhatt, Advocates.

For the respondents: Mr. Anup Rattan, Advocate General, Mr. Rajan

Kahol & Mr. B.C. Verma, Additional Advocate Generals, with Mr. Ravi Chauhan, Deputy

Advocate General.

Sandeep Sharma, J. (Oral)

Mr. Rajan Kahol, learned Additional Advocate General, accepts service of notice on behalf of the respondents.

- 2. Petitioner seeks a direction to the respondents to allow him to continue in service till he attains the age of 60 years in light of law laid down in CWP No.2274 of 2021, decided alongwith connected matters on 28.05.2024 titled as **Satya Devi Vs. State of H.P. and others.**
- 3. Respondents have not disputed that the case of the petitioner is covered by the aforesaid decision in Satya Devi's case, therefore, there shall be a direction to the respondents to confer the benefit of the aforesaid decision to the petitioner and allow him to continue in service till she attains the age of 60 years. This, shall,

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however, be subject to outcome of the SLP filed by the respondents in the aforesaid decision. The present petition is disposed in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any.

June 30, 2025 (sunil)

(Sandeep Sharma), Judge