

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

**CWP No.19776 of 2001
Decided on : 23.09.2015**

Satish Bala and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

Present : Mr. I.D. Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. L.S. Virk, Addl., AG, Punjab.

G.S. Sandhawalia , J. (Oral)

The prayer made in the present writ petition is for quashing the selection made by the respondents and to appoint the petitioners who had claimed they had got more marks.

The posts of 60 staff nurses were advertised on September 15, 1997, which were increased to 210 and the petitioners applied for selection and were called for interview. The case of the petitioners is that their experience of four and seven years were ignored.

The defence of the State is that the petitioner No.1 had secured 65 marks and petitioner No.2 had secured 64 marks out of total 100 marks and the last selected candidate had secured 71 marks. The experience was counted from the date of registration by the Punjab Nursing Registration Council i.e. from 06.01.1997 and, therefore, the marks given were justified.

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No replication was filed to the counter the allegations made in defence.

The last selected candidate having more marks as compared to the petitioners, the petitioners would not be within the zone of consideration and, therefore, there is no scope for interference in the appointments which have been made by the respondents more than decades one and half back.

Accordingly, present writ petition is dismissed.

SEPTEMBER 23, 2015
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE