

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

Civil Writ Petition No.3422 of 2015

Date of decision: 25.2.2015

Rakesh Kumar and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr.Rajinder Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

1. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
2. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (Oral)

Admittedly, the petitioner serves in the Improvement Trust whose services cannot be compared with Public servants protected by rules framed under proviso to articles 309 and 311 of the Constitution. They stand outside the pale of public service by virtue of their employment in local bodies governed by the separate statutory provisions and rules. There can be no comparison between their pay scales. Discrimination, if any, can not be examined inter departmentally and amongst those belonging to distinct and separate entities.

No ground is made out for interference.

The petition stands dismissed.

**(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE**

February 25, 2015

Paritosh Kumar

