

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP no.9491 of 2013 (O&M)
Date of Decision :26.02.2015

Amarjyoti and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MAHESH GROVER

1)Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment?

2) To be referred to the Reporters or not?

3) Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present : Mr. B.S.Jaswal, Advocate for the petitioners

Mr. Suvir Sehgal, Addl. AG, Punjab

MAHESH GROVER, J.

The petitioners have approached this Court for quashing of the examination process held on 21.4.2013 for recruitment of Planning Officers.

The plea set up is of disqualification on account of an erroneous ground of the petitioners lack of educational qualifications.

The reply filed by the respondents indicates that an incumbent was required to have a Bachelor's Degree in Architecture or its equivalent from a recognized University or Institution, or Bachelor's Degree in City and Regional Planning or its equivalent from recognized University or Institution or should have three years Diploma in Architectural Assistantship from State Board of Technical Education

The petitioners no.1 & 7 and petitioners no. 2 to 6 as against the prescribed qualifications are having a degree of M.Tech (Urban Planning) after doing M.Sci in Geography and M.A in Geography

respectively which is not in conformity with the prescribed qualifications.

No counter to the reply has been filed and if the stand of the respondents is evaluated as against the prescribed qualifications the petitioners certainly do not possess the same. Therefore, the instant petition and the claim set out therein are held to be without any merit and the petition is accordingly dismissed.

February 26, 2015
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(MAHESH GROVER)
JUDGE