

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

LPA-303-2015

Date of decision:- 25.02.2015

Ajit Singh

...Appellant

Versus

Mahender Singh and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.J. VAZIFDAR, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH**

Present: Mr. M.S. Rana, Advocate,  
for the appellant.

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**S.J. VAZIFDAR, A.C.J. (ORAL)**

This is an appeal against the order of the learned Single Judge, inter alia, setting aside the appointment of the appellant/ original respondent No. 4 on the post of Family Welfare Extension Educator. The learned Single Judge has in a detailed order and judgement come to the conclusion that the certificate on the basis of which the application for the job was made was fake. Faced with this, the appellant relied upon another certificate issued by a private hospital relating to his experience. The period of the alleged experience in the two certificates over-lapped. The second certificate is held to be genuine in the sense that it was issued. That, however, does not establish the contents of the certificate. The second certificate was not the basis on which the application for appointment was made.

2. Considering the fact that the appellant has relied upon both the certificates one of which has been held to be false, it is difficult to sustain the order of appointment on the basis of the second certificate which is in respect of employment for a period which over-lapped with the fake certificate. In these circumstances, it is difficult to interfere with the impugned order.

3. The appeal is accordingly dismissed.

**(S.J. VAZIFDAR)**  
**ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE**

**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)**  
**JUDGE**

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