

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

**Civil Writ Petition No. 17405 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 10.11.2016**

Yadwinder Singh and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Vishal Mittal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mrs. Sudeepti Sharma, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State assisted by Mr. Ashwani Kumar,
Sr. Assistant, Office of Director, SCERT, Mohali.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Two petitioners, namely, Yadwinder Singh and Rishu, had undertaken the Punjab State Teachers Eligibility Test-II (PSTET-II) conducted on 03.07.2011 for the purpose of seeking the employment with the Education Department. In the event, a candidate passes the PSTET-II, the result stands good for seven years i.e. till July 2018.

The claim of the petitioners is that they had attempted four questions, whose answer keys were subsequently found incorrect by this Court in writ petition bearing CWP No. 2461 of 2012, titled Kulwinder Kaur and others Versus State of Punjab and Others, decided on 05.09.2014 (**Annexure P-5**), as also by the Committee in its report dated 12.10.2015, therefore they claim that they are entitled to grant of additional marks and their PSTET-II results requires to be revised.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the issues raised in the present petition stands decided in a bunch of petitions decided on 18.05.2016 by a Coordinate Bench in CWP No. 25794 of 2015, titled *Ekta Sharma and Others Versus State of Punjab and Others* (**Annexure P-8 herein**), and therefore, relief be granted in the same terms.

Learned State Counsel is unable to distinguish the facts of the case from the judgment dated 18.05.2016 (**P-8**).

In view of above, the present petition is allowed in the same terms as ordered by this Court in bunch of petitions bearing CWP No. 25794 of 2015, decided on 18.05.2016 (**P-8**).

November 10, 2016

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	No