

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

(1) LPA No.228 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 17.08.2016

Dev Kumar Appellant
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

(2) LPA No.265 of 2016 (O&M)

Naresh Garg and another Appellants
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

(3) LPA No.321 of 2016 (O&M)

Vishal Garg Appellant
Versus

Punjab Public Service Commission and others Respondents

(4) LPA No.327 of 2016 (O&M)

Vishal Garg Appellant
Versus

Punjab Public Service Commission Respondent

(5) LPA No.328 of 2016 (O&M)

Neeharika Kharbanda Appellant
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

(6) LPA No.332 of 2016 (O&M)

Bharat Lumba and another Appellants
Versus

State of Punjab and another Respondents

(7) LPA No.333 of 2016 (O&M)

Pavleen Kaur Appellant
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

(8) LPA No.334 of 2016 (O&M)

Gurjot Singh and another Appellants
Versus

State of Punjab and another Respondents

(9) LPA No.340 of 2016 (O&M)

Jaspreet Singh Kahlon Appellant
Versus

State of Punjab and another Respondents

(10) LPA No.343 of 2016 (O&M)

Gagandeep Kaur and others Appellants
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

(11) LPA No.344 of 2016 (O&M)

Sumit Garg and another Appellants
Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

**CORAM: HONBLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT
HONBLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned? Yes/No
2. Whether reportable? Yes/No
3. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment? Yes/No
4. To be referred to the Reporters or not? Yes/No
5. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest? Yes/No

Present: Mr. Anil Kshetarpal, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Piyush Aggarwal, Advocate
Mr. H.C. Arora, Advocate,
Mr. Jatinder Singh Gill, Advocate,
Mr. Ramanpreet Singh Bara, Advocate,
Mr. Rohit Gupta, Advocate,
Mr. Satwant Mehta, Advocate,
Mr. Salil Sabhlok, Advocate,
Mr. Nandan Jindal, Advocate,
Mr. D.S. Chahal, Advocate,
Ms. Gagandeep Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, Advocate,
Mr. Aman Dhir, Advocate,
for the appellant(s).

Mr. P.S. Bajwa, Addl. AG, Punjab.

Mr. B.S. Sodhi, Advocate,
for respondent No.3.

Mr. Kamal Sehgal, Advocate for PPSC.

SURYA KANT J. (ORAL)

This order shall dispose of the above captioned intra Court appeals as all the appeals have laid challenge to the common order dated 28.01.2016 passed by learned Single Judge.

During the course of hearing, it is informed that all the appellants (except Neeharika Kharbanda-appellant in LPA No.328 of 2016), who are permitted to appear in the examination provisionally, have not made it to the final list. The appeals qua them i.e. *LPA Nos.228, 265, 321, 327, 332, 333, 334, 340, 343 & 344 of 2016* thus have been rendered infructuous. The same are disposed of accordingly.

As regard to Neeharika Kharbanda-appellant in *LPA No.328 of 2016*, it is stated that although she is successful and her name is recommended for appointment to the post of Excise & Taxation Officer but she is already occupying that post, hence has rightly declined the new offer.

Learned counsel seeks and rightly so, to withdraw her appeal. In these circumstances, *LPA No.328 of 2016* is dismissed as withdrawn.

**(SURYA KANT)
JUDGE**

17.08.2016
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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**