

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

DATE OF DECISION:12.12.2017
CWP No.1332 of 2012

Rajnish

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab & others

..Respondents

2.

CWP No.1343 of 2012(O&M)

Ritu Sharma

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab & others

..Respondents

3.

CWP No.1344 of 2012

Karamvir Kaur

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab & others

..Respondents

4.

CWP No.1345 of 2012

Harminder Kaur

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab & others

..Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present: Ms. Alka Chatrath, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, DAG, Punjab.

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J.(ORAL)

This judgment of mine shall dispose of CWP Nos.1332,
1343, 1344 & 1345 of 2012 as the facts involved in all the cases are the
same.

Admittedly, the selection/appointment of the petitioners has

CWP No.1332 of 2012 and other connected matters

never challenged in any of the writ petitions filed by the other persons i.e. CWP No.18548 of 2009 of and other connected cases of 2010 as no relief was sought against the petitioners. Even the petitioners were not party in that petition. The services of the petitioners were terminated just to make places for those persons who were higher in merit as per orders passed in CWP Nos.11688 of 2006 and 19 of 2007. It has also been brought to the notice of this Court by learned State counsel that certain posts are still available with respondent department of the category to which petitioners belong as per affidavit dated 14.03.2017 filed in response to order passed by this Court on 31.01.2017.

In case the posts are available then the claim of the petitioners be reconsidered for appointment against those posts. It is also directed that the petitioners shall be entitled for all benefits. However, the respondents are at liberty to consider the claim of seniority of the petitioners separately. The impugned order of termination is hereby set aside.

Disposed of with the aforesaid said directions.

12.12.2017
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(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned:</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable:</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>