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

CWP No.19734 of 2013

Date of Decision : 10.05.2017

Deepmala and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Subhash Rana, Advocate
for Mr. P.R. Yadav, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, A.A.G., Haryana
for respondents No.1 and 3.

Mr. Kanwal Goayl, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

By this petition the petitioners have challenged their non-consideration for the post of Ayurvedic Medical Officer (Class-II) in Health and Ayush Department, Haryana. The ground taken for non-consideration was that they did not have the necessary qualification before the last date.

The claim of the petitioners was that the last date as per the advertisement was 09.03.2012 and though the degree was awarded later the

mark-sheet was awarded to the petitioners in the year 2011.

The stand of the respondents on the other hand was that an essential pre-requisite for award of B.A.M.S. Degree (apart from passing the examination) was one year compulsory Internship and a person can be considered to have qualified B.A.M.S. Degree only after he/she had cleared the exam and completed the Internship. However, in the case of the petitioners none had completed the Internship before the last date i.e. 09.03.2012 and consequently they were rightly declared to be ineligible. To support the aforesaid stand, learned counsel for the respondent No.2 has also relied upon the judgment of this Court in the matter of *Arunpreet Kaur (Dr.) and others vs. Managing Director, Punjab Health Systems Corporation, Mohali and others, 2012(4) RSJ 82*.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has not been able to cite any contrary judgment.

Consequently, the petition is dismissed.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending Civil Misc. Application, if any, also stands disposed of.

May 10, 2017
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No