

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

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CWP No.19038 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of Decision: September 06, 2017

Bikramjit Singh

....Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, Advocate
for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (Oral)

Petitioner had applied for the post of Multi Purpose Health Worker (Male) in response to an advertisement issued by the Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot, for filling up of 1263 posts under the Department of Health and Family Welfare, State of Punjab. Petitioner had applied against the post reserved for Ex-serviceman and their lineal descendants.

Counsel submits that the petitioner had participated in the process of selection and had even appeared in a recruitment test and the result of which was duly declared.

Grievance raised is that a final merit list of candidates to facilitate their participation in the counselling process has been issued for all the categories except for Ex-serviceman and their lineal descendants. Prayer is that the respondent-authorities

without any justifiable basis are not finalizing the recruitment process in relation to one category i.e. Ex-Serviceman and their lineal descendants.

Counsel submits that for such limited grievance, a representation has already been submitted and he would be satisfied if directions were to be issued to take a decision thereupon.

As such, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case and without even ascertaining the correctness of the averments made in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition with a direction to respondent No.2/Competent Authority to examine the representation dated 20.05.2017 (Annexure P-4) and to take a final decision thereupon within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

It is made clear that if the Competent Authority to take a decision upon the representation is the Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot, which had issued the advertisement, the present order would even bind the concerned authority under the university.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : **Yes/No**
Whether reportable : **Yes/No**