

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

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**CWP-398-2017 (O&M)
Date of decision: 13.01.2017**

Taj Kumari and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.... Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice P.B. Bajanthri

Present: Mr. S.K.Malik, Advocate for the petitioners.

P.B. Bajanthri, J. (Oral)

The petitioners have questioned the validity of the provisional seniority list of Lecturer (School Cadre) dated 01.12.2016. The petition is premature for the reasons that the grievance of the petitioner in respect of seniority list would arise as and when respondents finalise the seniority list dated 01.12.2016.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners admitted that they have submitted their representation against the provisional seniority list dated 01.12.2016 and the same is yet to be considered and finalized. It was further contended that the official respondents are operating the provisional seniority list for the purpose of promotion without finalising the same. It was also noticed from the petition and pleadings that the petitioners have questioned the validity of the provisional seniority list of Lecturer (School Cadre) dated 01.12.2016 without impleading the persons who are likely to be affected.

3. In view of these facts and circumstances, the petition is premature insofar as challenge to provisional seniority list of Lecturer (School Cadre) dated 01.12.2016 (Annexure P12). Accordingly, CWP stands dismissed.

However, the respondents are directed to finalise the provisional seniority list

of Lecturer (School Cadre) dated 01.12.2016 after due consideration of petitioners objections filed, if any, within a period of 3 months from today.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that official respondents are likely to operate the provisional seniority list for the purpose of promotion. If any promotion process is in vogue pursuant to provision seniority, the same shall be completed, but shall not be given effect till provisional seniority list dated 01.12.2016 is finalized.

13.01.2017

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**(P.B.BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasons	Yes/No
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Whether Reportable:	Yes/No
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