

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

CWP No.10185 of 2018
Date of decision: 25.04.2018

Joginder Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Rajat Mor, Advocate for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr. RK Doon, AAG, Haryana, present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Copies furnished.

For the nature of order I propose to pass in the matter, no formal written statements/counter affidavits on behalf of the respondents are indeed necessary, at this stage. Thus, with the consent of the parties, the petition is being disposed of finally.

The petitioners competed for selection to the post of Heavy Vehicle Drivers in the General Category. They qualified the written examination as also the driving proficiency test. However, during scrutiny their candidature was rejected and they were not called for interview. It is urged that the necessary documents appended by the petitioners with their application forms as also this petition show that they possess the valid licence to drive Heavy Transport Vehicles as also the three years requisite

experience in terms of the advertisement, thus, there indeed could not be any occasion to ignore their candidature.

In response, learned State counsel submits that although the process of selection has been concluded and even the appointments have since been made, but yet the claim/grievance of the petitioners shall be looked into by the respondent-authorities. And appropriate orders, in accordance with law, shall be passed within a period of four weeks from today.

The petition is accordingly disposed of in the above terms.

Needless to assert that in the event the claim of the petitioners is declined, the respondent-authorities shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

25.04.2018
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES
NO