

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

CWP No.13262 of 2017(O&M)
Date of Decision:24.9.2018

Rekha ... Petitioner

Versus

Central Board of Secondary Education and others ... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr.Arjun Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr.Aseem Aggarwal, Advocate for respondents no.1 & 2

Mr.Anil Kumar Sharma, Advocate for respondents no.3 & 4

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RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court for a direction to the respondents-Central Board of Secondary Education to correct her father's name from "Subash" to "Subhash" in her class 10th Certificates.

2. The respondent-CBSE has produced in court today a Circular dated 10th November, 2017 with regard to change in limitation period of cases pertaining to correction in name of candidate's mother, father and date of birth from one year to five year, The said Circular is taken on record as Mark "A". It is not disputed that the correction in the name of petitioner's father from "Subash" to "Subhash" was made within period of limitation.

3. To support her case, the petitioner also annexed copies of date of Date of Birth Certificate, Scheduled Caste Certificate, Aadhar Card (Annex. P-4 Colly.) wherein her father's name is mentioned as "Subhash".

4. In view of the above, this petition is allowed. The respondent-CBSE is directed to issue fresh certificates in respect of

Secondary School Examination (10th) to the petitioner after correcting the name of her father from “Subash” to “Subhash”. The fresh certificates be delivered upon return of old certificates to the CBSE. The necessary exercise be completed within fortnight from the date of receipt of a certificate copy of this order.

5. Needless to say that the CBSE while issuing fresh/corrected educational certificates will record in the certificates that ‘*the correction in respect of the father’s name is as per orders of the Punjab & Haryana High Court in CWP No.13262 of 2017*’.

24.9.2018
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(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No