

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.19390 of 2018
Date of Decision:06.08.2018

Rakesh Lamba

. Petitioner

Vs.

Board of School Education Haryana, Bhiwani

. Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN

Present: - Mr.Mahender Singh Chahal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

RAKESH KUMAR JAIN, J.

The petitioner had appeared in the Haryana Teacher Eligibility Test 2007 in General Category in the subject of Physical Education on 24.12.2017 to take the paper of 150 questions of 1 mark each with no negative marking. The petitioner secured 89 marks out of 150 marks whereas in order to qualify in the said test, the candidate was required to secure 90 marks out of 150 marks. It is alleged that the answer key was uploaded on the official website in January 2018 and thereafter the petitioner filed objection vide his complaint No.76 for correction in the answer of question No.98 contained in booklet of Set B subject Code 1207. According to the petitioner, he had given the right answer as "Hockey" whereas according to the respondent the right answer is "Football". It is not denied by the petitioner that the term 'sudden death' is not used in "Football" as well. He has rather submitted that the respondent has allowed two options as correct answer of question Nos.26 and 139 and the same treatment should have been given for question No.98 as well.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner and after examining the record, am of the considered opinion that once the answer to the question was not found to be incorrect then the petitioner cannot seek a direction from this Court for adding one more answer in the answer key because the examiner has to check the answer-sheet in terms of the answer key provided to him.

Thus in view thereof, there is hardly any merit in this petition and hence, the same is hereby dismissed.

06.08.2018

Vivek

(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable : *Yes/No*