

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

**Civil Writ Petition No. 20774 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 14.11.2018**

Prem Chand and others

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Bhavesh Aggarwal, Advocate for
Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners, eight (08) in number, are working as “Lab Attendants” under the Department of Medical Education & Research, Punjab, and posted at Govt. Medical College, Amritsar. They claim to be eligible and suitable for being promoted against the vacant promotional post of Medical Lab Technician Grade-II within their prescribed promotional quota.

Grievance of the petitioners set up is that instead of promoting the petitioner, the Department is filling up the posts by way of transfer/deputation.

On the previous date of hearing, learned State Counsel was directed to seek instructions.

At the time of resumed hearing today, learned State Counsel, Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, on instructions from Mr. Sarabjit Singh, Senior Assistant, Office of Research & Medical Department, Punjab, states that vide order dated 31.10.2018, except Sumitra

Devi (petitioner No. 4), Kuldeep Singh (petitioner No. 7) and Jatin Sharma (petitioner No. 8), rest of the petitioners have been promoted and the aforesaid three left out petitioners do not fall within the zone of promotion.

In view of the aforesaid circumstances, counsel for the petitioners concedes that nothing more survives for adjudication in the present petition and the same has become infructuous.

“Disposed of as Infructuous”.

November 14, 2018

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>