

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

CWP No.25782 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 10.12.2018

Subhash Chand

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. Madan Pal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kiran Pal Singh, AAG, Haryana.

Ritu Bahri, J.

Petitioner is seeking direction to the respondents to consider him in the category of Economically Backward Person in General Castes (EBPGC) for the post of PGT (Political Science).

Result of the petitioner has been brought in Court today. As per result, the petitioner has secured 106 marks in the written examination and 12 marks in viva voce, total 118 marks. As per final result, the cut off marks of the General category is 129 and last candidate in EBPGC category has secured 102 marks. Meaning thereby, the petitioner has got more marks than the last candidate in the EBPGC category. A perusal of the result further shows that for 21 posts under the said category, only 10 persons have qualified and 11 posts are still lying vacant.

The petitioner has referred to the Economically Backward Person in General Castes Category certificate dated 05.06.2017. This

certificate was submitted by him at the time of scrutiny of documents and on that day, he was eligible under the above said category.

At the time of issuing notice of motion in the petition on 08.10.2018, one post was kept reserved. Keeping in view the final result, present petitioner was duly eligible on the date of scrutiny of documents as on 29.08.2018. Moreover, the EBP GC certificate had been issued to him way back on 05.06.2017.

The respondents are not disputing rest of the conditions of eligibility.

In view of the above discussion, present petition is allowed and the respondents are directed to issue appointment letter to the petitioner by considering him a candidate under the Economically Backward Person in General Caste (EBPGC) category.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

10.12.2018.

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No