

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

CWP No.4065 of 2018
Date of decision: 20.02.2018

Geeta Bai and another

... Petitioners

Versus

Haryana Staff Selection Commission

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Rakesh Sobti, Advocate and
Mr. MM Pandey, Advocate for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr. Siddharth Sanwaria, DAG, Haryana, present in Court,
accepts notice on behalf of the respondent. Copy furnished.

For the nature of order I propose to pass in the matter, no
formal written statement/counter affidavit on behalf of the respondent is
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 Supervisor
(Female), pursuant to an advertisement dated 30.12.2016 (Annexure P1),
under the SC and BCA Categories, respectively. They purport to have
cleared the written examination that was held on 30.04.2017, and thereafter
were called for scrutiny of documents on 03.07.2017. The limited grievance
that the petitioners have is that vide notice dated 07/14.02.2018, the
respondents have circulated the interview schedule and the short-listed
candidates have been intimated in this regard. However, the names and roll
numbers of the petitioners are not reflected therein. It is urged that the

petitioners had personally approached the respondents to ascertain as to how much marks they had secured in the written examination, and the marks obtained by the candidates called for interview. But to no avail. The petitioners alleged to be clueless as for what reason their candidature has been ignored. Even the legal notice dated 09.02.2018 (Annexure P9), the respondents have been served with, has failed to evoke any response. Further, it is urged that interviews are slated to take place on 22.02.2018, and in the event the petitioners are not permitted to participate, they shall suffer an incalculable loss.

In response, learned State counsel submits that the claim of the petitioners, as also their legal notice dated 09.02.2018 (Annexure P9), shall be considered and decided by tomorrow itself i.e. 21.02.2018. And appropriate orders, in accordance with law, shall be passed and communicated to the petitioners as also to their counsel.

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 authority shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

20.02.2018
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES
NO