

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

**CWP No. 4889 of 2018
Date of Decision 28.2.2018**

Rajender Kumar and others

...Petitioners.

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Minderjeet Yadav, Advocate
for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are employed with the respondent-department as Sanskrit Teachers. It is alleged that under the rules, the next promotion from Sanskrit Teacher is to the post of Elementary School Headmaster. Further, under the Haryana School Education (Group-C) State Cadre Service Rules, 2012, 7% of the posts of Elementary School Headmasters, are required to be filled by way of promotion from Sanskrit Teachers. The petitioners purport to be fully eligible for consideration for promotion to the said post. And, even though 388 posts against their quota are lying vacant, for some intangible reason, claim of the petitioners is being ignored by the respondents. It is alleged that the petitioners have even represented to the respondents in this regard, vide representation dated 15.11.2017 (Annexure P-9). But to no avail.

That being so, the petition is disposed of, at this stage, only with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the claim/grievance of the petitioners, as also their representation, dated 15.11.2017 (Annexure P-9), within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order. And pass appropriate orders in accordance with law. In the event, the claim of the petitioners is declined, the authority shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

28.2.2018
AK Sharma

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES / NO
YES / NO