

(106) IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

LPA No.1007 of 2017 (O&M)
in CWP No.22391 of 2016
Date of decision: 02.04.2018

Gurpreet Kaur

..... Appellant

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL.
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.S. WALIA.**

Present: Mr. Jagjit Singh Gill, Advocate for the appellant.

Rajesh Bindal, J.

Order passed by the learned Single Judge dismissing the writ petition has been impugned by filing the present intra-court appeal.

The grievance raised by the appellant before the learned Single Bench was that she had been wrongly rejected for the post of Constable (Female). It is submitted by learned counsel for the appellant that the last selected candidate got 35.75 marks whereas the appellant got 33.75 marks. There was error in award of marks for height, where the appellant should have been awarded 11 marks instead of 10. This fact has been considered by the learned Single Judge. Even if one extra mark is awarded to the appellant, she does not make to the merit list for the reason that she will secure only 34.75 marks. Her claim that she had completed 2.5 kms race in 13.9 minutes, hence, should have been awarded more marks, has rightly been considered and rejected by the learned Single Judge. The selection criteria provided that female candidates had to run for 2.5 kms within 15 minutes to secure 10 marks. In case the race is completed in 14 minutes, one extra mark was awarded. In case the time taken is 13 minutes, the candidate

was entitled to 12 marks.

It is not in dispute that the appellant was awarded 11 marks keeping in view the fact that she had taken 13.9 minutes for covering the distance of 2.5 kms. There is no error in award of marks by the authorities. We cannot rewrite the criteria laid down for selection of the candidates especially for awarding marks. There is no error in the order passed by the learned Single Judge.

Accordingly, the appeal is dismissed. Consequently, the application seeking condonation of delay in filing the appeal is also dismissed.

(Rajesh Bindal)
Judge

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(B.S. Walia)
Judge

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned | : | Yes/No. |
| 2. Whether reportable | : | Yes/No. |