

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Letters Patent Appeal No. 324 of 2018 (O&M) in
CWP No. 28147 of 2017
Date of decision: 2.5.2018

Sukhwinder Dass

.. Appellant

v.

The State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

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

Present: Mr. S. S. Rangi, Advocate for the appellant.

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Rajesh Bindal J.

Order dated 12.12.2017 passed by the learned Single Judge, vide which the writ petition filed by the appellant was dismissed, has been impugned by filing the present intra court appeal.

The issue raised is regarding appointment of Lambardar of village Jakhepal, Tehsil Rajpura, District Patiala. The post fell vacant on 15.3.2011. Due process was followed as the proclamation was made in the village. Applications were invited. The Collector recommended appointment of respondent No. 4 as Lambardar. The order was set aside in appeal by the Commissioner. However, the Financial Commissioner in revision filed by respondent No. 4 reversed the order. The same has been upheld by the learned Single Judge.

The argument raised is regarding comparative merit of the candidates with reference to age, land holding and qualification. Once the

issue has already been gone into by the Financial Commissioner and the order has been upheld by the learned Single Judge, in Letters Patent Appeal, we do not find any reason to interfere with the findings recorded by the Financial Commissioner.

Accordingly, the present appeal is dismissed.

(Rajesh Bindal)
Judge

(B. S. Walia)
Judge

2.5.2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No