

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

**LPA No.236 of 2019
Date of decision: 25.03.2019**

Rajpal

... Appellant

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KRISHNA MURARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE**

Present: Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Advocate, for
Mr. Vikram Singh, Advocate, for the appellant.

KRISHNA MURARI, C.J. (Oral)

This intra-court appeal under Clause X of the Letters Patent is directed against the judgment and order dated 06.12.2018 passed by the learned Single Judge dismissing the writ petition challenging the advertisement issued on 09.06.2015 inviting applications for filling up 10 posts of Mandi Supervisor.

The grievance of the appellant-petitioner was that no post under ESM (General Category) was advertised. Learned Single Judge dismissed the writ petition on a short ground of delay and laches for the reasons that advertisement issued on 09.06.2015 was put to challenge by filing writ petition on 17.09.2018 after more than 3 years.

It goes without saying that during the period of these three years, the entire selection process must have been completed and, thus, there was no reason to accept the challenge to the advertisement after about three years. We also do not find any reason to take a different view taken by the

learned Single Judge and the petition has rightly been dismissed on delay and laches. The impugned order does not call for any interference. The appeal accordingly stands dismissed.

(Krishna Murari)
Chief Justice

(Arun Palli)
Judge

25.03.2019
Rajan

Whether speaking / reasoned:	YES
Whether Reportable:	NO