

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.

CWP No. 9278 of 2019

Date of Decision: April 30, 2019.

Veerpal Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr.Surinder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Rajan Gupta, J (Oral)

Notice of motion.

On the asking of court, Ms.Anu Chatrath, Addl.A.G.,Punjab
accepts notice on behalf of State of Punjab.

Petitioner is seeking a writ of mandamus to direct the
respondents to consider the case of the petitioner for appointment to the
post of Elementary Teacher as she claims to have cleared Teachers
Eligibility Test as per the revised result.

Admittedly some appointments were made on the basis of
result declared earlier. An anomalous situation has arisen as to the
entitlement of the petitioner for appointment on the basis of revised result
and the right of the persons, appointed on the basis of earlier result, to
continue in service.

A query has been put to learned State counsel whether a
committee of senior officers headed by the Chief Secretary can consider
the entire issue and take a just and fair decision under the circumstances.

She submits that there is no impediment in such an exercise.

Under the circumstances, this petition is hereby disposed of with a direction that a committee of three officers headed by Chief Secretary shall be constituted to consider the claim of the petitioner as well as related issues. A decision shall be taken within two months and the petitioners be informed accordingly. The committee would also take into consideration the consolidated affidavit filed in CWP Nos.24341 and 29601 of 2017 while arriving at its decision.

(Rajan Gupta)
Judge

April 30, 2019.

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No