

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

**CWP No.17098 of 2019 (O&M)  
Date of Decision.01.07.2019**

Baskori Devi

...Petitioner

Vs

State of Haryana and others

..Respondents

**CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL**

Present: Mr. Jasbir Mor, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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**AMIT RAWAL J. (ORAL)**

Prayer in the writ petition is for issuance of Sports Gradation Certificate by issuing direction to respondents No.3 and 4, in view of the fact that petitioner vide application dated 12.9.2018 (Annexure P-5) has already sought its issuance.

In pursuance of advertisement No.4/2018 dated 25.08.2018 issued by Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Panchkula, 18218 posts of Group 'D' for different Departments of State of Haryana were advertised and last date for submission of online applications was 18.09.2018.

Petitioner is stated to have obtained 3<sup>rd</sup> position in the event of Baseball in the 43<sup>rd</sup> Haryana State School Sports Tournament held during 2008-2009 and 1<sup>st</sup> place in the event of Baseball and Softball under age group 19 in District Girls School Tournament held in the year 2008-2009 organized by the Education Department, Haryana as per sports merits certificates Annexure P-3 (colly).

Petitioner had submitted application for issuance of the Gradation Certificate as indicated above. Vide letter dated 01.02.2019, petitioner was appointed on the post of Peon but as per letters dated 13.05.2019 (Annexure P-12) and 30.05.2019 (Annexure P-13) issued by Director, Women and Child Development Haryana, petitioner has been called upon to provide Sports Gradation Certificate issued by the District Sports Officer upto 15.06.2019.

Mr. Jasbir Mor, learned counsel appearing for petitioner submitted that instructions dated 30.11.1993 (Annexure P-17) under subject of reservation of seats for outstanding players would be applicable and also sports certificate as per condition No.3 under the State Level Competitions. Earlier sports certificates were issued by Director, Sports & Youth Welfare Department but in view of new policy promulgated on 25.05.2018, such certificate is issued by District Sports and Youth Affairs Officer of concerned district. The petitioner is required to submit sports certificate but no action has been taken by respondents so far on application of petitioner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Addl. A.G., Haryana accepts notice for respondents.

Facts as narrated above are not in dispute, particularly, letter of appointment dated 01.02.2019 and letters dated 13.05.2019 and 30.05.2019 calling upon petitioner to submit Sports Gradation Certificate issued as per policy dated 25.05.2018 issued by District Sports and Youth Affairs Officer of concerned district i.e. respondent No.4.

Without expressing on merits and demerits of matter, I dispose of writ petition by issuing direction to respondent No.4 to consider application dated 12.09.2018 (Annexure P-5) for issuance of Sports Gradation Certificate in view of her Sports Merit Certificates (Annexure P-3 (colly) within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

At this stage, Mr. Mor seeks protection of service of petitioner in view threat perception reflected in the letter dated 30.05.2019 (Annexure P-13), as last date for submission of aforementioned certificate was 15.06.2019. Till such time, petitioner is permitted to discharge her duties as Peon.

**(AMIT RAWAL)**  
**JUDGE**

**July 01, 2019**  
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Whether speaking/reasoned      Yes

Whether reportable      No