

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

CWP No.10627 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 29.10.2019

Sunita Devi

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & others

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia

Present: Mr. Sunil Kumar Nehra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Rathee, Sr. DAG, Haryana.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

Reply has been filed on behalf of respondent No.3 in Court today. The same is taken on record.

2. Learned Sr. DAG, Haryana has placed on record copy of notice dated 25.10.2019 as per which candidates bearing Roll Nos.81501090, 81501862, 81500706, 81501658, 81502146 of General Category, 81500658, 81501630, 81502018 of SC category and 81501190 of BC Category have been shortlisted for interview/Viva voce on 7.11.2019 for the post of Lecturer Hindi (School Cadre) i.e PGT Hindi and states that no doubt, the petitioner having Roll No.81503178 and another candidate having Roll No.81501990 come in the selection zone for the post of PGT Hindi i.e Lecture Hindi (School Cadre) in the General Category against Category No.6 in Advertisement No.6/2006, yet appointment cannot be given to the petitioner at this stage since as has been stated above, nine other candidates

have been shortlisted for interview on 7.11.2019 and it is only on the basis of interview of the aforementioned nine candidates that a final decision will be taken with regard to the candidates eligible to be appointed on the post of PGT Hindi (Lecturer Hindi) (School Cadre) against Category No.6 in Advertisement No.6/2006 on the basis of overall merit.

3. In the light of the position as noted above, learned counsel for the parties are ad idem that the writ petition can be disposed of by directing the official respondents to conduct the interview for nine candidates on the date already fixed i.e. 7.11.2019 and to declare the result thereafter and forward recommendations to the competent Authority for further action in accordance with law in a time bound manner.

4. In the light of the position as noted above, the writ petition is disposed of by directing the official respondents to conduct the interview in terms of notice dated 25.10.2019 of the nine candidates who have been shortlisted for interview/viva voce on the date fixed i.e. 7.11.2019 and to forward the recommendations to the competent Authority on the basis of overall merit of all candidates including the petitioner and other selected candidates as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of two weeks after conduct of interview for further action by the competent Authority in respect thereto in accordance with law. On receipt of recommendations, respondent No.2 would take such further steps as may be warranted in respect thereto in accordance with law within a period of two weeks thereafter.

5. Writ petition stands disposed of.

October 29, 2019
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(B.S. WALIA)
JUDGE

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