

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.18673 of 2016(O&M)

Date of Decision:27.09.2019

Komal Rani

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr. Anuj Balian, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurabh Mohunta, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. SS Dinarpur, Advocate,
for respondent No.4.

Mr. Ranjit Saini, Advocate, for
for respondent No.5.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J.(Oral)

C.M. No.14300 of 2019

No merit.

Dismissed.

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This petition is disposed of with the following directions:-

The process of allotment of Fair Price Shop is permitted after effecting *Munadi* informing the public and the eligible candidates, who may wish to apply for allotment. The objections received will be decided within a week by orders in writing with cogent reasons for grant or refusal. The same will be conveyed to the applicants/objectors. The applications received will be considered impartially by the Deputy Commissioner without any tinge of nepotism, favouritism or political

pressure and the most suitable and well mannered person should be chosen to run the Fair Price Shop. But such person should not be a close family member of a candidate i.e. spouse, son, daughter or close relative of a sitting Sarpanch or Panch of the Gram Panchayat. The petitioner may apply for allotment of a Fair Price Shop, if she is eligible as per the notified terms and conditions. The process may start immediately after the elections to the Haryana Legislative Assembly, 2019. All previous orders of allotment of Fair Price Shop in the earlier process/es shall stand nullified to make way for the fresh selection. Needless to say, the stay order stands vacated with the disposal of the petition.

27.09.2019

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**(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
Yes/No