

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

CWP No.22933 of 2019

Date of Decision: August 28, 2019

Vishnu Dutt Sharma

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL

Present: Mr. Keshav Gupta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

AMIT RAWAL, J. (Oral)

Petitioner, in pursuance to the advertisement dated 28.06.2015 caused by the Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Panchkula for filling up various posts of PGT (History), applied for the post. He though was successful in the written examination but could not appear in the interview owing to the kidney problem of his son, which is evident from the emergency certificate (Annexure P-4 Colly). Petitioner had reconciled with the situation, but his hopes revived in pursuance to the notice dated 21.08.2019 (Annexure P-8) giving chance to all the candidates who have not been able to avail the chance of interview/viva-voce as last opportunity to appear on 30.08.2019. In this regard, petitioner had already submitted a representation.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, learned Deputy Advocate General,

Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the State.

It is strange that once the last opportunity is granted to the candidates, who approached this Court, petitioner in such circumstances, is also required to be given a chance, otherwise it would be a case of discrimination amongst the similarly situated persons.

In view of the above, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to permit the petitioner to appear for interview in view of the notice Annexure P-8 dated 21.08.2019, consider his candidature and convey the result to him.

Copy of this order be given *dasti* to the learned counsel for the parties under the signatures of the Court Secretary of this bench.

August 28, 2019
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(AMIT RAWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No