

Civil Writ Petition No. 23587 of 2019(O&M)
Date of Decision : 04.09.2019

Chamkaur Singh

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab & Ors.

... Respondents

CORAM:-HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Hargobinder Singh Gill, Advocate
for the petitioner.ARUN MONGA, J(ORAL)

1. The petitioner herein competed for the post of Jail Warder and successfully participated in the selection process. It is stated that the petitioner was wrongly placed in the waiting list, showing his over-all marks as 25, by taking his height to be 5 ft. 10 inches instead of actual 5 ft 11.25 inches. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per actual height of the petitioner, he was to be awarded total 26 marks and ought to have been placed in the list of selected candidates, but on account of wrong measurement, his name has been appearing in the waiting list.

2. Notice of motion.

3. On advance service of copy of the petition, Ms. Anu Chatrath, Senior Advocate assisted by Ms. Ambika Bedi, Assitant Advocate General, Punjab, appears on behalf of the respondents.

4. Given the nature of order being passed, no further proceedings or pleadings are required.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that petitioner's height was measured in earlier recruitment process, wherein his height was recorded as 181 cm and medical certificate is contained at Annexure P-7.

6. In view of the conflicting measurement of height of the petitioner, the respondents are required to get the petitioner's height re-measured by constituting an appropriate Committee.
7. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is willing to undergo fresh measurement under videography at his own costs, as assessed by the respondents.
8. In these circumstances, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to get the petitioner's height re-measured by constituting an appropriate Committee. Petitioner is directed to appear before respondents No. 2 and 3 on 01.10.2019 at 10:00 AM. The respondents shall make adequate arrangements of videography.
9. Writ petition is disposed of in above terms.

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| 2. | Whether reportable: | Yes/ No |