

CWP-4993-2020

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 25th February, 2020

Gagandeep Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

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

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner has approached this Court praying for quashing of the order dated 24.10.2019 (Annexure P-5) passed by the respondents on the representation submitted by him for appointment on compassionate ground as per the policy of the Government of Punjab.

Referring to the order dated 24.10.2019 (Annexure P-5), which was conveyed to the petitioner on 02.12.2019, counsel for the petitioner contends that the said order is a non-speaking order as no reason whatsoever has been assigned for rejecting the claim of the petitioner for appointment on compassionate ground.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl. A.G., Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Having gone through the impugned order dated 24.10.2019 (Annexure P-5), the contention as raised by the learned counsel for the

petitioner is found to be correct as no reason whatsoever has been mentioned in the impugned order for rejection of the claim of the petitioner. This order, which is impugned in the present writ petition, being a non-speaking order cannot sustain on the scrutiny of the Court, as the same is not assigning any reason whatsoever for rejection of the claim of the petitioner claimed by him, as per the instructions applicable.

In view of the above, the impugned order dated 24.10.2019 (Annexure P-5) is hereby quashed. Liberty is, however, granted to the respondents to consider the claim of the petitioner and pass a speaking order within a period of two months from today.

Decision so taken be conveyed to the petitioner forthwith.

25th February, 2020
Harish

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No