

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

**CWP-10322-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision:04.11.2020**

Vineet Kumar

... Petitioner

Versus

Haryana Public Service Commission

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Ms. Tarun Jain Sinha, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Arjun Pratap Atma Ram, Advocate for the respondent.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

Matter has been taken up through Video Conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Petitioner belongs to the general category and had applied for the post of Drug Control Officer pursuant to an advertisement having been issued and to be filled up by the Health Department, State of Haryana.

Suffice it to observe that grievance raised in the petition is that the petitioner was not being called for interview on the premise that he does not possess the requisite experience whereas it was his case that as per terms and conditions contained in the advertisement, the petitioner is eligible and possesses the requisite experience.

By virtue of interim directions, petitioner had been directed to be provisionally interviewed and his result was to be kept in a sealed cover and to be not declared without the leave of this Court.

On the previous date of hearing i.e. on 12.10.2020, counsel

representing the respondent/Commission was directed to open the result of the petitioner pursuant to his having been interviewed on a provisionally basis and to file an affidavit clarifying as to whether he would fall within the zone of consideration for purposes of appointment against any of the 14 posts of Drug Control Officers advertised pertaining to the general category. Towards compliance of the order dated 12.10.2020, an affidavit of dated 03.11.2020 of the Secretary, Haryana Public Service Commission has been received by email and the same is taken on record. As per contents thereof, the final cut off marks for the general category for the post in question has been determined 59.76 whereas the petitioner has secured a total of 55.38 marks.

In view of such factual position, nothing survives for adjudication in the instant writ petition.

Petition disposed of.

The issue with regard to eligibility of the petitioner for the post of Drug Control Officer as regards his work experience is kept open.

04.11.2020

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |