

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

CWP No.14204 of 2020 (O&M)

Date of decision: 11.09.2020

Pooja

...Petitioner

Versus

Haryana Staff Selection Commission

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr. Sumit Sangwan, Advocate for the petitioner.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (Oral)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

Petitioner Pooja, aged about 22 years, a resident of Village Panchgaon, Tehsil Badhra, District Charkhi Dadri has brought the instant civil writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India against the respondent i.e. Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Sector-2 Panchkula, Haryana, for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing the result dated 03.09.2020 (Annexure P4) being illegal, unconstitutional etc., directing the respondent to consider the petitioner eligible for the post of Clerk in the general category for all intents and purposes after incorporating her name and roll number in the final select list by giving her appointment, considering her marks as well as merit.

The grouse of the petitioner is that the candidate having lesser marks than her, has been selected whereas her merit has been ignored and her legitimate claim rejected.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Rajneesh Chadwal, AAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that in a similar matter in the form of writ petition filed by another candidate Jatinder Gour relating to this very examination and result bearing No.CWP-13925-2020, was disposed of by a Co-ordinate Bench, vide order dated 08.09.2020, directing the respondent to decide the representation of the petitioner within a period of 05 days and in case a similar order is passed in this petition also, treating the present writ petition along with annexures as representation of the petitioner, then the petitioner would be satisfied.

Learned State counsel submits that the office of respondent is closed on account of COVID-19 upto 14.09.2020, therefore, 10 days be granted to the respondent to consider the claim of the petitioner.

Under the circumstances, the present writ petition is disposed of, directing the respondent to consider the claim of the petitioner within a period of 10 days from today, treating present writ petition along with annexures as representation by the petitioner. However, since the petition is not being decided on merits, if the petitioner is not satisfied, she can take recourse to the legal remedy in accordance with law.

11.09.2020
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(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

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