

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.4026 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision:19.02.2021

Satyawan and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Ms. Sharmila Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Upasana Dhawan, AAG., Haryana.

Mr. Ashish Yadav, Advocate
for respondent no.3.

LISA GILL, J(Oral).

This writ petition has been filed by the petitioner, challenging show cause notice dated 05.02.2021, Annexure P-10, issued by respondent no.2-Director, Department of Urban Local Bodies-cum-Fire Service, Haryana, Panchkula.

Petitioners were promoted to the post of Assistant Fire Station Officer vide order dated 27.12.2019, Annexure P-9, pursuant to directions issued on 19.09.2019 in CWP No. 26619 of 2019 for disposal of the petitioner's representations.

It is submitted that respondents in an illegal manner are now trying to undo order dated 27.12.2019, Annexure P-9, and that too without affording proper opportunity of hearing to the petitioners.

Learned counsel for respondent no.3 to whom an advance copy of the petition has been supplied, submits at this stage, that proper and

effective opportunity shall be afforded to the petitioners before any final decision is taken pursuant to issuance of show cause notice dated 05.02.2021, Annexure P-10. Present writ petition, it is submitted is premature.

Keeping in view the specific statement made on behalf of respondent no.3, I do not find any ground to interfere, at this stage. Needless to say, petitioners shall be permitted to file reply to the show cause notice as well as be afforded an effective opportunity of hearing, before final decision is taken thereon. Reply be filed by the petitioners within one week of receipt of certified copy of this order. In case of any order adverse to the petitioners, the same be by way of a speaking order and the same be kept in abeyance for one week after it is passed, to enable the petitioners to avail their remedy/remedies as may be available to them.

Writ petition is accordingly disposed of.

19.02.2021
s.khan

[LISA GILL]
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No.
Whether reportable : Yes/No.