

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-5596-2021

Date of Decision: 09.03.2021

RAM SINGH

..... PETITIONER(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

..... RESPONDENT(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Kunal Mulwani, Advocate for the petitioner.

LISA GILL, J.

This matter is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to the outbreak of pandemic, COVID-19.

This petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents to take action regarding alleged illegal appointment of respondent nos.4 and 5 to the post of Lab Technician. It is submitted that respondent-authorities are stated to be hand in glove with private respondents, therefore, no action has been taken against the private respondents.

Heard.

Admittedly, the petitioner has no personal grievance in this case. It is specifically mentioned in para 2 of the petition that “the petitioner is genuinely concerned and had no personal animosity against any one”. Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to deny that the present petition is not by way of a public interest litigation.

In my considered opinion, present writ petition seeking a direction to the authorities for taking action and decision on the petitioner's complaint/representation dated 21.11.2020 (Annexure P-4) is not maintainable at the instance of the petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to deny that this writ petition is not filed in public interest in accordance with the applicable PIL Rules.

Writ petition is accordingly dismissed being not maintainable.

09.03.2021

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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

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