

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

CWP-13536-2021

Date of decision : 26.07.2021

Vijay Kumar

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. Sachin Rai Vaid, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Prayer in the instant petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, *inter alia*, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to issue appointment letter with all the benefits in Backward Class category quota (direct recruitment) as Head Master as two posts in Backward Class category have been vacated as per the notification and the next candidates in this list were Hardeep Singh (Merit No.131) and Vijay Kumar (132), whereas, the respondents have given appointment only to Hardeep Singh and not considered the petitioner.

At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner, on instructions, instead of pressing the present petition on merits, states that his client would be satisfied in case, representation dated 20.02.2021 (P-6) is considered and decided by passing a speaking order expeditiously.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Ms. Akshita Chauhan, AAG, Punjab, who is present through video-conference, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Learned State counsel raises no objection against the innocuous prayer made on behalf of the petitioner.

In view of the consensus arrived at between both sides, but without going into the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is disposed off with direction to respondent No.2, to consider and decide the aforesaid representation dated 20.02.2021 (P-6), in accordance with law, by passing speaking order within a period of eight weeks from today.

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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes No

Whether Reportable : Yes No