

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-17944-2020

Date of Decision: January 12, 2021

RANDHIR SINGH

..... PETITIONER(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

..... RESPONDENT(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Sandeep Panwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Anju Sharma Kaushik, Dy. A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Surinder Gandhi, Advocate for respondent no.3.

LISA GILL, J.

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

Petitioner had applied for the post of Medical Laboratory Technician, Grade-2 in the General Category pursuant to the advertisement issued after grant of sanction for filling the vacant post vide letter dated 04.08.2020 (Annexure P-1). Petitioner took the written test after being issued the roll number. Shortlisted candidates were to be called for scrutiny of documents. The petitioner claimed to have ranked 12th in the concerned list, but due to the very short notice afforded could not present himself alongwith the documents on the specified date.

Prayer in this petition is for a direction to the respondents to consider petitioner's candidature for document verification/scrutiny for the post of Medical Laboratory Technician Grade-2 in the General Category and thereafter for further selection process.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to deny that pursuant to interim orders passed in this writ petition counseling was conducted on 22.12.2020 in which the petitioner has duly participated and his documents subjected to scrutiny.

Learned counsel for the respondents at this stage inform that the petitioner's candidature has been rejected though learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he does not have any information to that effect.

Be that as it may, keeping in view the specific prayer addressed this writ petition has indeed been rendered infructuous and is disposed of accordingly.

12.01.2021

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**(LISA GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No