

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.25119 of 2021

Date of Decision:10.12.2021

Suman

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondent

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. Manjeet Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

Present writ petition has been filed seeking directions to the respondents to promote the petitioner to the rank of Head Constable for the vacancies of the year, 2014 in view of the provisions contained in Rule 13.7 of its Punjab Police Rules.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a keen sports person. She has participated in various sports competition at national and international level and won medals. She has won silver medal in the XV World Police and Fire Games, 2013 held in August, 2013. She has won gold medal in All India Police Games -2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013.

She is therefore entitled for promotion to the rank of Head Constable against the 10% quota for vacancies of the year, 2014 on the basis of consistent outstanding performance under Rule 13.7 of the Punjab Police Rules. He relies on a decision of this Court in CWP-6638 of 2016 decided on 20.04.2017. Despite the petitioner having submitted a representation the said promotion was not granted to her. She was promoted as Head Constable in the year, 2018 as per her own

turn.

Without in any way commenting on the merits of the claim of the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to take a decision of the representation dated 22.11.2021 (P-30) of the petitioner in the light of a decision of this Court in CWP No. 6638 of 2016 decided on 20.04.2017 titled as Manjeet and another Vs. State of Haryan and others. Needful be done with a period of three months.

[HARINDER SINGH SIDHU]
JUDGE

December 10, 2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable?

yes/no
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