

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

(103)

CWP-7610-2021

Date of Decision : December 21, 2022

Aazad Khan and another

.. Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Mazlish Khan, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Harish Nain, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Nilesh Bhardwaj, Advocate,
for respondent No.3-University.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioners argues that the petitioners, who are working as Lab Attendant with the Health Department of the Government of Haryana, are entitled for promotion either to the post of Pharmacists or to the post of Lab Technician as the case may be but despite being eligible, the said benefit has not been extended to the petitioners and that too without any valid justification.

The prayer of the petitioners is for giving appropriate directions to the respondents to consider the claim of the petitioners for promotion to the post of Pharmacists or Lab Technicians as the case may be.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already raised the said grievance before the respondents by filing a representations, which are appended with the present writ petition as Annexure P-10 and Annexure P-11, which are still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioners will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representations by passing appropriate speaking order.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Harish Nain, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and Mr. Nilesh Bhardwaj, Advocate, who is also present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-University and they raise no objection in deciding said the representations Annexure P-10 and Annexure P-11 in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioners for the relief which has been claimed by them in the representations Annexure P-10 and Annexure P-11, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4 to decide the representations Annexure P-10 and Annexure P-11 within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

December 21, 2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : No