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

CWP No.6342 of 2022

Date of Decision: 29.03.2022

Gurcharan Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

The Director General of Police, Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Ms. M.N. Jajoria, Advocate for the petitioner.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, *inter-alia*, for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari quashing the selection criteria on seniority in age basis of a candidate having lower marks than younger candidate as well as clause 9 of Advertisement No.1/2016 being irrational.

At the outset, learned counsel, on instructions from the petitioner submitted that instead of pressing the present petition on merits, her client would be satisfied in case the legal notice dated 27.08.2021 (P-6) is decided expeditiously.

Notice of motion to that limited extent.

Ms. Maloo Chahal, DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents, and raises no objection against the innocuous prayer of the petitioner.

In view of the agreed stand taken by both sides, but without going into the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is disposed off with

direction to respondent No.1-The Director General of Police, Punjab, Chandigarh, to consider and decide the aforesaid legal notice dated 27.08.2021 (P-6) in accordance with law by passing speaking order within a period of 04 (four) weeks from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

Needless to say that in case there is a failure on the part of competent authority, petitioner would be at liberty to move an appropriate application for revival of this writ petition.

29.03.2022
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable *Yes/No*