

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

CWP-11774-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: May 27, 2022

Mohinder Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Kamal Kant, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Additional AG Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner herein, *inter alia*, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to consider and decide the claim of the petitioner and accord him promotion on the post of "Tehsildar" on the basis of merit list. Reliance is placed on Haryana Revenue Patwaris (Group-C) Service Rules, 1981 and an office circular dated 05.04.1971 and another order dated 24.02.2016 (Annexure P-6) passed by Divisional Commissioner, Ambala.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for redressal of his aforesaid grievance, petitioner has submitted representations dated 16.07.2021 (Annexure P-10) and 29.03.2022 (Annexure P-11) but the same have not been adverted to by the respondents till date.

3. On advance service, learned state counsel appears and submits that a decision will be taken by competent authority, either way, on the

pending representations dated 16.07.2021 (Annexure P-10) and 29.03.2022 (Annexure P-11) by passing a speaking order.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner also seeks decision on the pending representations, as suggested by learned State counsel.

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the instant writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to look into the representations dated 16.07.2021 (Annexure P-10) and 29.03.2022 (Annexure P-11) of the petitioner and pass an administrative order, in accordance with law.

7. Let the needful be done as expeditiously as possible.

8. Disposed of accordingly.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

May 27, 2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No