

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

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CWP-13403-2022

Date of decision : 04.07.2022

Annjal Voyou

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Gourav Jain, Advocate for the petitioner.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has challenged the promotion order dated 27.05.2022 (Annexure P-4) issued by respondent No.1 vide which respondent No.4 has been promoted to the post of Secretary, Municipal Committee ahead of the petitioner. The petitioner has also sought a direction to respondent No.1 to promote him to the post of Secretary, Municipal Committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has not been promoted to the post of Secretary, Municipal Committee although respondent No.4, who is junior to him in the seniority list, has been promoted vide the impugned order. He has referred to the copy of the seniority list of Accountants at Annexure P-5 wherein the petitioner is at serial No.35 while respondent No.4 is at serial No.36.

Issue notice to the respondents No.1 to 3 only at this stage.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Anant Kataria, DAG, Haryana. accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2.

Ms. Perna Malhotra, Advocate for Mr. Prateek Mahajan, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No.3.

Learned State counsel submits that he has received instructions that the petitioner could not be promoted for want of his service record and ACRs from respondent No.3. He also submits that after receiving the service record, respondent No.1 would consider the case of the petitioner for promotion.

Heard.

Without expressing anything on the merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 to complete the service record of the petitioner and submit the same to respondent No.1 within a period of two months from now and on receipt of the service record, respondent No.1 shall consider the case of the petitioner for promotion within a period of one month thereafter.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

July 04, 2022

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Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No