

CWP-16555-2021 (O&M)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-16555-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision : 15.09.2022

Gagandeep Gosal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. Rohit Kataria, Advocate,
for Mr. Manu K. Bhandari, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Anu Chatrath, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Jasmail Singh Brar, Advocate,
for respondent No.3.

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MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution *inter-alia* for quashing of the impugned order dated 23.06.2021 (P-9), whereby, respondent No.3-Kanwar Sandeep Singh was appointed as President, District Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, Bathinda (for short, 'President, District Commission').

2. Undisputedly, as per the recommendation dated 05.04.2021 made by the Selection Committee which was duly forwarded by the Registrar General of this Court vide letter dated

06.04.2021, petitioner is higher in merit than the private respondent No.3 and for reference, the same is recapitulated as under:-

District	Name of Petitioner	Merit Position	Appointee (Respondent No.)	Merit Position
Bathinda	Gagandeep Gosal	1	Kanwar Sandeep Singh (R. No.3)	3

3. Concededly, aforesaid impugned order including the appointment of private respondent No.3 has been quashed and set aside by this Court while allowing **CWP-11409-2021** titled as **Kamal Kant and others Vs. State of Punjab and others**, vide order of even date.

4. In view of the above, present petition is also allowed in the same terms.

Ordered accordingly.

15.09.2022
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No