

119 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-16856-2022

Date of Decision: 03.08.2022

DEEPANSHU VASHISHT

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Jasbir Singh Mor, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Jindal, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner herein, *inter alia*, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing respondents No.1 and 2 to consider his candidature under the category of EWS after considering the fresh certificate dated 25.04.2022 (Annexure P-20) issued by respondent No.3. Rejection has resulted, allegedly due to the validity year inadvertently mentioned as 2021-22 in the earlier EWS certificate dated 19.01.2022 (Annexure P-18), instead of 2022-23.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for redressal of his aforesaid grievance, petitioner also submitted a representation dated 25.07.2022 (Annexure P-26) but the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date.

3. On advance service, learned State counsel appears and submits that a decision will be taken by the competent authority, either way, on the pending representation dated 25.07.2022 (Annexure P-26) by passing a speaking order.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner also seeks decision on the pending representation 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 representation dated 25.07.2022 (Annexure P-26) of the petitioner and pass an administrative order, in accordance with law within a period of 30 days from today.

7. Till the decision on the representation (Annexure P-26), one post in the category petitioner had applied, shall not be filled up, subject to vacancy as on today.

8. Disposed of accordingly.

August 03, 2022

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(ARUN MONGA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No