

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

**CWP-2687-2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 16.08.2022**

JITENDER KUMAR

...Petitioner

VS

STATE OF HARYANA & ORS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. Sanjiv Gupta, Advocate,
For the petitioner.

Mr. Saurabh Mohunta, DAG, Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petition herein, *inter alia*, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to consider the petitioner for appointment to the post of Statistical Assistant pursuant to Advertisement No.11/2015, category No.14.

2. Concededly, having secured 122 marks, petitioner is on the waiting list in the SC category. Learned counsel for the petitioner points out that candidate immediately above the petitioner was though offered appointment, but has not joined. Therefore, in the ordinary course, petitioner ought to have been considered as per his merit and offered appointment.

3. Writ petition is disposed of with an expectation that in case the aforesaid averments are correct, appropriate steps be taken as expeditiously as possible, but not later than two months from today, provided, of course, that petitioner is otherwise found eligible to be appointed, in accordance with law.

4. Pending applications, including impleadment application, shall also stand disposed of.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

August 16, 2022
Vandana

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No