

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(113+235)

CWP No. 27287 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 08.08.2022

Karnail Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Madan Pal, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. R.S. Budhwar, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

Harsimran Singh Sethi J. (Oral)

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Present application has been filed for placing on record replication to the written statement filed on behalf of respondent No. 3.

Application is allowed and replication to the written statement filed on behalf of respondent No. 3 is taken on record.

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In the present petition, the prayer of the petitioners is that they were not called for interview in respect of the post of Trained Graduate Teachers (TGT), Punjabi, which was advertised by the respondents vide Advertisement No. 4/2016 dated 17.03.2016 (Annexure P-1).

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that as per the answer key, which was being operated upon by the respondents, the

petitioners qualified the written test so as to become eligible for being interviewed hence, respondents may kindly be directed to conduct interview of the petitioners and consider their claim for the post in question.

Learned State counsel on instructions from Ms. Sukhwinder Kaur, ADA, Haryana Staff Selection Commission, submits that petitioner No. 1, Karnail Singh has competed in the General Category and as per the correct answer key, he has marked 50 questions correctly and the total marks secured by him are 100, whereas the last candidate in General Category, who has been called for interview, has secured 102 marks. Learned counsel for the State further submits that as far as petitioner No. 2, Balkar Singh is concerned, he applied under the category of BCA and he has marked 47 questions correctly and his score comes to 94 whereas, the last candidate called for interview in the said category has obtained 96 marks and, therefore, the petitioners could not score the required marks to be called for the interview.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that keeping in view the said statement of learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

August 08, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : No