

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

CWP-23013-2021

Date of Decision: 28.02.2022

ABDUL GAFFAR AND OTHERS

..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

..... Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Shivam Malik, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Kuldeep Tewari, Addl. AG, Haryana.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer in this writ petition is for directing the respondents to carry out correction in the seniority list dated 14.09.2021 (Annexure P-12), which is stated to have been prepared without including the names of petitioners, who have submitted their options to be a part of the Mewat Cadre, pursuant to notice dated 20.10.2020 (Annexure P-2). It is further prayed that promotions to the post of PGT Teachers, pursuant to notice dated 28.10.2021 (Annexure P-15) and 02.11.2021 (Annexure P-16) be carried out only after finalization of seniority list by including petitioners' name therein and to consider the petitioners as a part of the Mewat Cadre w.e.f. 20.10.2020.

It is submitted that petitioners have been agitating before the respondent-authorities for an expeditious decision of their applications. In this regard representation dated 02.09.2021 was also submitted by the petitioners before the authorities.

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Learned counsel for the State, to whom an advance copy of paper book had been supplied on an earlier occasion, had been directed to seek instructions regarding the time frame within which a decision would be taken on the applications submitted by the petitioners for serving in Mewat Cadre.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from the Joint Director, TGT R&A for Director Elementary Education, Haryana, Panchkula, submits that petitioners' applications as well as their representation dated 02.09.2021 shall be decided within a period of two months from today.

In this view of the matter, this writ petition is disposed of, at this stage, with a direction to the competent authority to take necessary action in terms of the statement made before this Court today. In case of any subsisting grievance, liberty is afforded to the petitioners to take necessary steps for redressal.

28.02.2022

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(Lisa Gill)
Judge

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