

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

**CWP No.22995 of 2022
Date of Decision:-11.10.2022**

Gopal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Manish Soni, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ankur Mittal, Addl. A.G. Haryana assisted by
Mr. Saurabh Mago, AAG, Haryana.

RITU BAHRI, J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for quashing of impugned order dated 21.09.2022 (Annexure P-2) vide which seats/offices of Sarpanches of Gram Panchayat “Kharak Kalan Rajyan Pana” in block Bhiwani has been reserved for scheduled caste women.

Learned State counsel on instructions from Shri Ranveer Singh Sodhi, Deputy Director, Development and Panchayat Department, Haryana, has produced the original data of the entire State of Parivar Pehchan Patar (hereinafter referred as 'PPP') and in this date, the name of the village is at serial No.506 and the population of BCA as per PPP is rightly reflected.

The total population as per PPP is 2219 and BCA population is 391, which comes to 17.62%. Annexure P-2 is an order, whereby reservation for SC category has been made and for this purpose the entire population of this village has been reflected as 4572 which is as per 2011 census. So, both these documents are for different reservations.

As per the population reflected in Annexure P-2 they have made this order on the basis of 2011 census.

Counsel for the State on instructions informed that the order (Annexure P-2) has been passed on the basis of 2011 census.

Since the notification of election has been issued on 07.10.2022, this petition is being dismissed giving liberty to the petitioner to take his remedy before the Election Commission.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

October 11, 2022
Vijay Asija

(NIDHI GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No