

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

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CWP-1037-2023

Date of Decision: 31.01.2023

VARUNAKSHI

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Mr. Amit Khatkar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.K.S. Brar, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner has approached this Court under Article 226/227 of Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to incorporate the decisions/orders passed by the competent authority vide instructions dated 16.03.2022, 03.05.2022 and 10.05.2022, Annexures P-4 to P-6, respectively, in the Haryana Development and Panchayats Department (Group B) Service Rules, 2016 (for short - “the Rules”) regarding the minimum age of entry in government service.

State counsel has placed on record a copy of Notification dated 12.05.2022, whereby the Rules have been amended and the minimum age of recruitment has been reduced from 21 years to 18 years.

Upon instructions from Ved Parkash Dhull, Under Secretary to Government of Haryana, Development & Panchayats Department, State counsel submits that advertisement, Annexure P-1, was issued due to an oversight and he has instructions to state that steps are being taken to withdraw it and a fresh requisition will be sent within a period of 03 months for advertising the post of Sub Divisional Engineer (Civil) (Group B).

In view of the above, writ petition has become infructuous.

Dismissed as having been rendered infructuous.

31.01.2023
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(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No