

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

CWP-4938-2023

Date of decision : 27.03.2023

Bhupinder Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

PEPSU Road Transport Corp. and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN

Present : Mr. Madhur Singh, Advocate
 for the petitioner.

 Mr. Rakesh Roy, Advocate for
 Mr. Abhilaksh Gaind, Advocate for the respondents.

PANKAJ JAIN, J. (ORAL)

By way of present writ petition filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner prays for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to issue appointment letter to the petitioner for the post of Trained Welder as per merit list dated 10th of January, 2018.

2. Short reply by way of affidavit of Parveen Kumar, General, Manager, Pepsu Road Transport Corporation, Kapurthala has been filed today in Court. The same is taken on record.

3. Counsel for the petitioner would not dispute that the right of the petitioner as canvassed in the writ petition stems-out from the advertisement (Annexure P-1) which has been issued by a private service provider i.e. M/s S.S. Services Providers who has been given contract by respondent No.1 to provide outsource employees.

4. Keeping in view that the M/s S.S. Services Providers is neither a public authority nor has been impleaded in the arraign of parties no relief as claimed by the petitioner can be granted. Consequently, the present writ petition is dismissed.
5. However, the petitioner shall be at liberty to invoke alternate remedy against M/s S.S. Services Providers in accordance with law.
6. At the same time this Court cannot lose sight of the fact that M/s S.S. Services Providers has used the name of PRTC to fleece unemployed youth, Managing Director PRTC should file an affidavit before this Court to show what action has been taken against M/s S.S. Services Providers, within two weeks.

March 27, 2023
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(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

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