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

CWP-6909-2023

Date of Decision: 18.04.2023

Pardeep and others

. . . . Petitioners

Vs.

State of Haryana and another

. . . . Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M.S. RAMACHANDRA RAO
HON'BLE MRS JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR**

Present Mr. Rajesh Hooda, Advocate
for the petitioners.

M.S. RAMACHANDRA RAO, J.(Oral)

Notice of motion.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf
of State.

In this Writ Petition, the petitioners have challenged the policy for recruitment to Group-C and D posts through Common Eligibility Test, 2022 on the ground that in clause 7(v) thereof, requirement of obtaining minimum 50% marks in the said test is prescribed which is a high cut off, depriving persons like the petitioners from a chance to get appointed to Group-C posts, though they possess technical qualifications of ITI Diploma in different trades.

Heard counsel for the petitioners as well as counsel for the State.

It is not within the purview of this Court to advise the State as to how much cut off it should prescribe for consideration of candidates for recruitment to said posts. However, it is open to the petitioners to make a representation to respondent No.1 about their grievances within 4 weeks, and on receipt of the same, respondent No.1 shall take an appropriate decision and communicate it to the petitioners within 4 weeks thereafter.

Writ Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(M.S. RAMACHANDRA RAO)
JUDGE

(SUKHVINDER KAUR)
JUDGE

April 18, 2023
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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether reportable? | Yes/No |