

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

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1. CWP No.4194 of 2020 (O & M)
Date of Decision : 17.11.2023

Ram Niwas and others

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

2. CWP No.2513 of 2021 (O & M)

2023:PHHC:146500

Charanjeet Singh and another

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

3. CWP No.11657 of 2020 (O & M)

2023:PHHC:146501

Balwan Singh and others

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

4. CWP No.14598 of 2023 (O & M)

2023:PHHC:146503

Balwan Singh

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Sanjiv Gupta, Advocate
(in CWPs No.11657 of 2020 and 14598 of 2023) and
Ms. Sangeeta Dhanda, Advocate
(in CWPs No.4194 of 2020 and 2513 of 2021)
for the petitioners

Mr. Ravi Pratap Singh, DAG, Haryana

Mr. Sajjan Singh, Advocate, for the private respondents
(in CWPs No.4194 of 2020 and 11657 of 2020)

CM No.19262 of 2023 in CWP No.11657 of 2020

Application is allowed. Documents are taken on record as Annexures P-22 to P-29.

Main case:

Learned counsel for the petitioners contend that the claim raised in the aforementioned petitions has substantially been met in terms of latest instructions of the government dated 7.10.2023, Annexure P-22, regarding granting the benefit of reservation in promotion in all the cadres of Group-A and Group-B posts, to the employees belonging to the Scheduled Castes, to the extent of 20% of the sanctioned posts of promotional quota. The petitioners' representations/legal notices are already pending with the respondents for giving reservation in promotion, against roster points. The same should be considered in view of the Instructions dated 7.10.2023, in a specified time, and the petitions may be disposed of in these terms.

2. Learned State counsel contends that the pending representations/legal notices of the petitioners will be expeditiously decided and action will be taken in terms of the Instructions dated 7.10.2023.

3. In view thereof, the petitions are disposed of directing the respondents to consider and decide the petitioners' pending representations/legal notices in the light of Instructions, dated 7.10.2023, within a period of three months. In case, the petitioners' claim is accepted, the due benefits be released to them within a further period of six weeks.

4. Miscellaneous applications, if any, also stand disposed of.

5. Photocopy of this order be placed on the connected case files.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

17.11.2023
Ashwani

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