IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.16329 of 2020
Date of Decision : 4.12.2023

Suman Duhan and others ..... *Petitioners*

versus

State of Haryana and others ..... *Respondents*

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Karan Nehra, Advocate, for the petitioners

Mr. Ravi Pratap Singh, DAG, Haryana

Mr. Puneet Gupta, Advocate, for
Mr. Ravindra Singh, Advocate, for respondents no.3 and 4

Mr. Govind Tanwar, Advocate, for respondents no.5 to 13

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA J. (ORAL):

The petition has been filed, *inter alia,* seeking a writ of *certiorari* quashing the notification dated 6.7.2017, Annexure P-10, and revised Common Seniority List circulated on that basis, dated 21.9.2020, Annexure P-21, for the posts of Clerks, Steno-Typists, Assistants, Legal Assistants and Accountants, etc.

2. Learned counsel for the University by referring to the written statement, dated 7.7.2022, filed on its behalf submits that as per minutes of the Executive Council meeting, dated 3.8.2021, the grievances raised by the petitioners have been redressed as it has been decided that the aforesaid cadres will not be merged. Pursuant thereto, separate seniority lists, for these posts have been issued, and some of the petitioners have

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even been promoted on that basis.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners does not dispute the facts aforestated, he however submits that the petitioners may be given liberty to challenge the separate seniority list(s) in case they are aggrieved by the same.

4. In view thereof, the petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous granting liberty to the petitioners to challenge the separate seniority list(s) issued during pendency of the petition, in case they are so advised.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

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

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