

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

CWP-18198-2023

Date of decision : 21.08.2023

Satwant Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

The District Commissioner-cum-District Collector and ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Kartik Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for quashing of the impugned order dated 06.07.2023 passed by the District Collector, Hoshiarpur-respondent No.1; order dated 02.06.2023 passed by the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tanda-respondent No.2 and order (Annexure P-1) passed by the Tehsildar-cum-Assistant Collector IInd Grade, Tanda-respondent No.3 whereby candidature of the petitioner for the post of General Lambardar, Village Dariya, District Hoshiarpur is not being considered, inspite of the fact that the petitioner had submitted his candidature for the above post well-within time and in a totally illegal manner, the District Collector, Hoshiarpur-respondent No.1 has flatly refused to mark the presence of the petitioner solely on the pretext that he was ex parte before the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tanda-respondent No.2 and that too once the petitioner had already moved an application dated 06.07.2023 for setting aside ex parte order/proceedings and affording opportunity of hearing to him but no order on the same has been passed till date.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he may be allowed to withdraw the present petition with liberty to the petitioner to approach the competent authority for redressal of his grievance.

Allowed as prayed for.

Dismissed as withdrawn with liberty to the petitioner to approach the concerned authority for redressal of his grievance. In case petitioner approaches the competent authority for the redresssal of his grievance, the authority concerned would hear and decide the matter expeditiously as in accordance with law.

21.08.2023
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(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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