

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(216)

CWP-5366-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision : August 29, 2023

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.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Kuldeep Sheoran, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Rathee, Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed challenging the action of the respondent-Department in declaring the petitioner ineligible for consideration for appointment to the post of Heavy Vehicle Driver, as advertised by the respondents vide Advertisement No.4 of 2017 dated 18.05.2017.

2. The petitioner applied in the BCA category for the said post and appeared in the written examination as well as the screening test. During the screening, the respondents declared the petitioner ineligible on the ground that the petitioner did not had three years experience on the last date of submission of the application form which was an essential qualification to be considered for appointment. The said action of the respondents is under challenge in the present petition.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner concedes the factum that the petitioner got licence for driving the heavy vehicle on 28.06.2014 and last date of submission of the application form was 24.06.2017 and upto the said date, the petitioner did not had three years experience to his credit.

4. Once, it is a conceded position that from the date of issue of the licence till the last date of submission of application form, the petitioner did not have completed three years experience required to be eligible, hence, it cannot said that the claim of the petitioner has wrongly been rejected by the respondents.

5. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case, the petitioner did not had requisite experience for competing against the post Heavy Vehicle Driver, hence, no ground is made out for any interference by this Court.

6. Dismissed.

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As the main writ petition has been dismissed, present application stands disposed of.

August 29, 2023

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No