

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.25710 of 2023
Date of Decision : 15.11.2023

Lalit Kumar

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Ravinder Singh Dhull, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sanjeev Kaushik, Addl.AG, Haryana.

Mr. Kanwal Goyal, Advocate and Mr.Govind Tanwar,
Advocate for the respondent-HPSC.

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA J. (ORAL)

This petition has been filed seeking a writ of certiorari quashing the impugned notices dated 17.10.2023 and 19.10.2023, Annexures P-8 and P-9 respectively, wherein the petitioner has not been called for the interview-cum-viva to be held from 16.11.2023 to 18.11.2023. Further, a writ of mandamus has been sought directing respondent no.3/Haryana Public Service Commission (hereinafter referred to as 'the Commission') to call the petitioner for interview for the post of Post Graduate Teacher/Physical Education, to be held from 16.11.2023 to 18.11.2023.

2. Learned counsel for the Commission, appearing on advance notice, contends that marks of the subject knowledge test have not been disclosed to maintain integrity of the selection process. The next stage of the selection, i.e., holding of interviews is not over as yet. If the marks obtained

by the candidates are disclosed before the interviews, it may lead to manipulation and affect impartiality. Therefore, the representation dated 19.10.2023, submitted by the petitioner seeking details of marks of his written examination will be decided within two weeks after the interview and conveyed to him.

3. In view of the statement made, learned counsel for the petitioner has no objection to the petition being disposed of in terms thereof.

4. Ordered accordingly.

5. The petitioner will be at liberty to avail appropriate remedies in accordance with law in case he is aggrieved against the decision conveyed.

15.11.2023
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(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

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