

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA, CHANDIGARH
Sr. No.: 112

Civil Writ Petition No.25720 of 2023
Date of Decision: *November 16, 2023*

Deep Mala

..... PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

State of Haryana and others

..... RESPONDENT(S)

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CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA**

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PRESENT: - Ms. Arunima Agashe, Advocate for Mr. Rohit Mittal,
Advocate for the petitioner.

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Tribhuvan Dahiya, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondent Department to consider and promote the petitioner on the post of PGT-English w.e.f. 08.01.2021, i.e., the date when her juniors were so promoted.

2. It is contended that the petitioner fulfilled all the requisite qualifications, including the experience, on the date her juniors were so considered and promoted. She has been denied consideration for no valid reasons. Even the representation submitted in that regard, dated 26.07.2023 (Annexure P-4), remains undecided.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Sanjeev Kaushik, Addl. AG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents/State and submits that in case the petitioner is eligible and had the requisite qualifications on the date her juniors were

promoted, her case will also be so considered; and appropriate orders on her representation will be passed.

5. In view thereof, without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the petition stands disposed of directing respondent no.3 to decide the pending representation of the petitioner, Annexure P-4, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receiving certified copy of this order. In case the petitioner is found entitled to be promoted, necessary order to that effect will be passed within four weeks thereafter.

(Tribhuvan Dahiya)
Judge

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<u>Whether Speaking/ Reasoned:</u>	<u>Yes/ No</u>
<u>Whether Reportable:</u>	<u>Yes/ No</u>