Serial No. 108
Supplementary-1 Cause List

HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH AT SRINAGAR

WP (C) No. 1626/2024
CM No. 4419/2024

Shams-ul-Nisa

… Petitioner(s)

Through: -
Mr Mohammad Rafiq Bhat, Advocate.

V/s

Union Territory of J&K and Ors.

… Respondent(s)

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M. A. CHOWDHARY, JUDGE.

(ORDER)

29.07.2024

01. The Petitioner, through the medium of this Petition, has prayed for the grant of following relief(s) in her favour:

> "A. By issuance of writ, order or direction one in the nature of Mandamus, tentatively selection list issued vide Notification published in newspapers namely Global Kashmir on 20th of August, 2023 whereby Respondent No.4 has been shown to have been tentatively selected against the post of Anganwadi Helper be quashed;
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> B. By issuance of writ, order or direction one in the nature of Mandamus, Respondents be commanded to consider the objections filed by the Petitioner to the tentatively seniority list and take decision in the matter;
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> C. By issuance of writ, order or direction one in the nature of Mandamus, Respondents be commanded to subject the selection of Respondent No.5 to the outcome of the instant writ petition; and
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> D. Any other order or direction which this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper to the case of Petitioner may also be passed in favour of petitioner and against the Respondents."

02. The Petitioner has claimed that she had applied for her engagement as Anganwadi Helper for Anganwadi Centre G. S. Tiploo, Lone Mohalla, Ward No. 04, Khansahib, Budgam and that she was entitled to be given more weightage in the said selection process, as earlier her mother-in-law was working there as an Anganwadi Helper.

03. Mr Mohammad Rafiq Bhat, the learned Counsel for the Petitioner, submits that the official Respondents, pursuant to aforesaid advertisement notice, had issued a public notice, thereby publishing a tentative selection list of Anganwadi Helpers, wherein for the location of Anganwadi Centre G. S. Tiploo, Lone Mohalla, Ward No. 04, Khansahib, Budgam, the Respondent-Ruksana Jawhar was shown to have been selected. It is further submitted that vide the aforesaid public notice objections had been invited from the non-selected candidates or the general public vis-à-vis the tentative selection list. As per the learned Counsel, the Petitioner, in pursuance of the said public notice, had filed her objections to the tentative selection list on 24th of August, 2023, however, the same have not been considered by the official Respondents till date. It is argued that the official Respondents are in the process of finalizing the tentative selection list without consideration of the aforesaid objections so filed by the Petitioner.

04. The learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that the Petitioner shall feel satisfied in the event the present Petition is disposed of with a direction to the official Respondents to consider the objections filed by the Petitioner with regard to the tentative selection list published by them in terms of public notice dated 24th of August, 2023, before finalizing the said selection list.

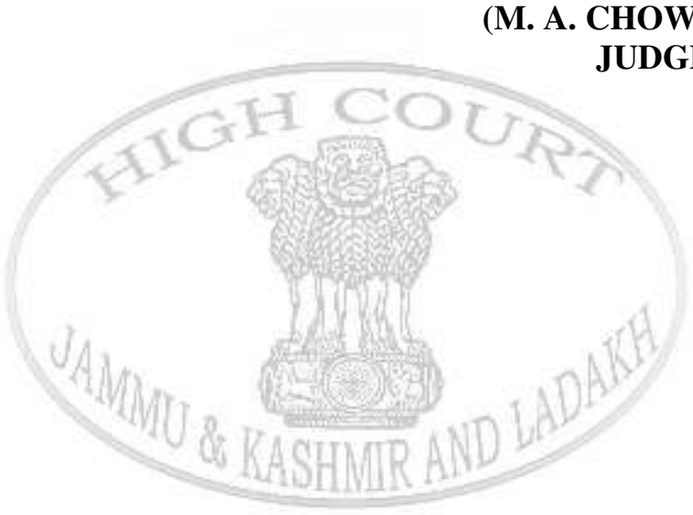
05. Having regard to the nature of relief sought for and keeping in view the submissions made by the learned Counsel for the Petitioner, this Writ Petition, at this stage, is **disposed** of with a direction to the official Respondents to consider the objections, stated to have been filed by the Petitioner with regard to the tentative selection list published in terms of

public notice dated 24th of August, 2023 relating to the post of Anganwadi Helper for the location of Anganwadi Centre G. S. Tiploo, Lone Mohalla, Ward No. 04, Khansahib, Budgam, before finalizing the said selection list, of course, in accordance with the Rules governing the subject.

06. Writ Petition is, thus, **disposed** of on the above terms, along with the connected CM.

(M. A. CHOWDHARY)
JUDGE

SRINAGAR
July 29th, 2024
"TAHIR"



Tahir Manzoor Bhat
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