

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(113)

CWP-8338-2024

Date of Decision : April 16, 2024

Rishu

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. G.S. Gopera, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner competed for the post of Staff Nurse as advertised vide Advertisement No.3 of 2023 dated 07.03.2023 (Annexure P-11) and despite the fact that the petitioner secured more marks, she has not been selected and granted appointment on the said post whereas, the candidates who were lower in merit have already been selected and appointed, which is totally arbitrary and illegal. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as the candidates lower in merit have already been appointed on the post in question, the respondents are under an obligation to grant the petitioner also selection and thereafter appointment.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the grievance raised in the present petition has already been raised by the

petitioner in the representation dated 09.02.2024 (Annexure P-16) and the representation dated 13.03.2024 (Annexure P-18) respectively which are still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representations by passing an appropriate speaking order.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Harish Nain, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that in case the representation dated 09.02.2024 (Annexure P-16) and the representation dated 13.03.2024 (Annexure P-18) respectively have been received in the office of concerned authorities, the same will be decided by the authorities concerned within a period of eight weeks of the receipt of copy of this order.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned counsel for the respondents, the present writ petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

7. Ordered accordingly.

April 16, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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