

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-18985-2016
Date of Decision:04.04.2024

SUKHPAL SINGH AND ANR. Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present : Mr. Tushar Shrarma, Advocate with
Ms. Shrinkhla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. On 22.03.2017, the following order was passed:
- “The writ petition has been filed seeking to challenge the decision of the State Government in denying promotion to the petitioners who are 'Sports Coaches' under the category of 'Sports Persons' in terms of the policy dated 15.10.2013. It is contended that earlier 'Sport Coaches' had been included in the terminology of Sports person to be considered for promotion, however, the same was denied to the petitioners who are Sports Coaches. The writ petition was filed with a prayer that the policy dated 15.10.2013 is treating the petitioners with a hostile discrimination. It is urged that the matter is pending consideration with the State Government to treat the Coaches like the petitioners as Sports Persons, however, the said matter has yet not attained finality.*
- Adjourned to 04.07.2017.*
- It is hereby directed to the respondents to take a decision on*

the recommendation made by the respondents qua the petitioners within a period of two months and the learned State counsel is directed to place the same on the record on the next date of hearing.”

2. Mr. Tushar Shrarma, Advocate concedes that petition *qua* petitioner No.1 has rendered infructuous and petitioner No.2 has been promoted during the pendency of present petition.
3. As the petitioner No.2 has already been promoted, this Court does not find it appropriate to advert with question of date of promotion because petitioner was seeking promotion which stands granted.
4. In the wake of statement of learned counsel for the petitioner, the present petition stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

04.04.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>