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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Date of Decision :26.07.2024

Aman Das

...Petitioner

**Versus**

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: None for the petitioner.

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**Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)**

In the present petition, grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the petitioner is entitled for appointment to the post of Clerk/Clerk-cum-Data Entry Operator keeping in view the merit obtained by him in the selection process, which benefit is being withheld keeping in view the dispute raised by the respondents qua the bachelor degree obtained by the petitioner through distant mode from Sikkim University.

As per the petitioner qualification acquired by him is recognized by UGC hence, the same has to be taken into consideration for the grant of benefit in question.

From the pleadings, it transpires that the said grievance has already been raised by the petitioner before the respondents by way of submitting a representation dated 28.06.2023 (Annexure P/18), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the interest of justice will be served in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to

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decide the said representation.

Keeping in view the above, respondents are directed to decide the representation dated 28.06.2023 (Annexure P/18) within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

Present petition stands disposed of in above terms.

**July 26, 2024***aarti***(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)****JUDGE***Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No**Whether reportable : Yes/Nor*