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AT CHANDIGARH**

Date of Decision : 22-11-2024

1. CWP-24480-2019 (O&M)

SONIA ALIAS SANGITA RANI AND ANOTHER

.....Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondent(s)

And

2. CWP-37109-2019 (O&M)

GEETU BALA AND ANOTHER

.....Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

**Present: Mr. Parvesh Sachdeva, Advocate
 for the petitioners in CWP No.24480 of 2019.**

**Mr. Neeraj Madaan, Advocate
for the petitioners in CWP No.37109 of 2019.**

Mr. Amarpreet Singh Bains, AAG Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (Oral)

Present set of two writ petitions involve common question of

law in the background of common set of facts and thus they are being decided by a common order.

The grievance being raised by the petitioner(s) in both the petitions is qua the promotion of Geetu Bala in CWP no.37109 of 2019 and Sangita Rani in CWP No.24480 of 2019 from the post of Anganwari Worker to the post of Anganwari Helper is bad.

In CWP No.24480 of 2019, the challenge is to the grant of promotion from the post of Anganwari Helper to that of Anganwari Worker to Geetu Bala and Sangita Rani.

The respondents have filed the reply wherein it has been mentioned that an enquiry was being done to find out the truth whether the promotions given to Geetu Bala and Sangita Rani were in accordance with the law or not and ultimately, the respondents decided to withdraw the benefit of promotion vide order dated 12.09.2019 (Annexure P-1), which order has been impugned by Sonia @ Sangita Rani and another by filing CWP No.37109 of 2019.

Learned State counsel at the outset submits that the issue raised in the present set of petitions with regard to the grant of promotion for the post of Anganwari Helper to that of Anganwari Worker will be reconsidered and the said reconsideration will be done after giving due opportunity to all i.e. the petitioners in both the petitions to present their case. The assertions of the petitioners in both the writ petitions will be taken into account and therefore, a decision will be taken and an appropriate speaking order will be passed with regard to the grant of promotion to the post of Anganwari Worker from that of Anganwari Helper and the said appropriate speaking

order will be passed within a period of 3 months from the receipt of copy of this order.

Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) submits that in case any order causing prejudice to the petitioner(s) in both the petitions is passed, liberty be given to avail appropriate remedy in accordance with the law.

Ordered accordingly.

Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) in both the petitions submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present set of two petitions may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Pending application, if any, also stands disposed of.

Photocopy of this order be placed on the file of other connected case.

22-11-2024
Sapna Goyal

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

NOTE: Whether speaking: YES/NO
Whether reportable: YES/NO