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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Date of decision: 16.04.2024

(I) CWP-30694-2019

ANUJ BENIWAL AND ANOTHER

...Petitioners

VERSUS

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY, AGRICULTURE AND OTHERS

...Respondents

(II) CWP-451-2020

KRISHAN PAL

...Petitioner

VERSUS

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY, AGRICULTURE AND OTHERS

...Respondents

(III) CWP-2683-2020

SOMVIR SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND
FARMERS WELFARE AND OTHERS

...Respondents

(IV) CWP-5083-2020 (O&M)

ANIL KUMAR MAAN

...Petitioner

VERSUS

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY, AGRICULTURE AND OTHERS

...Respondents

(V) CWP-479-2021

ANUJ BENIWAL

...Petitioner

VERSUS

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY, AGRICULTURE AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. S. P. Arora, Advocate
for the petitioners in all the remaining cases.

Mr. Rajnish K. Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner in CWP-2683-2020.

Mr. Ashish Yadav, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

Mr. Padamkant Dwivedi, Advocate
for respondents No.2 in all the cases.

Mr. Vivek Sharma, Advocate
for respondents No.3 to 7 in CWP-30694-2019.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

1. All the five petitions are taken up together for final disposal with the consent of learned counsel for the parties as the issue involved in all the five petitions is the same.

2. At the outset, all the learned counsels for the parties have stated that the prayer in all the five petitions is for quashing the seniority list of Accountants and now during the pendency of the present petitions, a fresh seniority list has been framed and rather promotional orders have also been passed in consonance with the same except for one Anil Kumar Maan i.e. petitioner in CWP-5083-2020 and with regard to the aforesaid petitioner,

Mr. Padamkant Dwivedi, learned counsel for respondent No.2 in all the cases has submitted that necessary orders will be passed within a period of one month.

3. Learned counsels for the petitioners have submitted that in view of the aforesaid factual position, all the five petitions may be disposed of as having become infructuous.

4. Ordered accordingly.

16.04.2024
Chetan Thakur

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No