

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

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**2024:PHHC:048806
CWP No. 33283 of 2019
Date of Decision:10.04.2024**

Hitesh Dahiya

....Petitioner

VS.

Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Raman Kaswan, Advocate for
Mr. Amit Khatkar, Advocate
for the petitioner

Ms. Aakriti Sharma, Advocate for
Mr. Raman Sharma, Advocate
for respondents No. 1 and 2

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking setting aside of communication dated 01.11.2019 (Annexure P-11) whereby his candidature has been cancelled.

2. The petitioner, pursuant to advertisement dated 24.11.2018 (Annexure P-1) applied for allotment of retail outlet in open category at district Sonipat. The draw of lots was conducted on 12.03.2019. The candidature of the petitioner was cancelled on the ground that he had not furnished valid Certificate of Advocate.

3. Ms. Aakriti Sharma, Advocate, submits that case of the petitioner is squarely covered by judgment dated 03.03.2020 passed by

this Court in **Pushpinder Marya and another Vs. Bharat Petroleum, CWP-28939- 2019** along with connected cases.

4. Faced with this, Mr. Raman Kaswan, Advocate, expressed his inability to controvert applicability of aforesaid judgment to the facts of the present case.
5. Dismissed.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)

JUDGE

10.04.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes	
Whether reportable:		No