



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

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CWP-30335-2024

Date of Decision: 08.11.2024

POONAM RANI

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present:- Mr. Joginder Siwach, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R. S. Budhwar, Addl. A. G., Haryana.

Mr. Balvinder Sangwan, Advocate
for respondent No.3.

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA, J. (Oral)

1. This petition has been filed, *inter alia*, seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to consider the candidature of the petitioner by taking into consideration the EWS certificate dated 23.10.2024, Annexure P-7, and issue appointment letter to him.

2. This is not disputed at the Bar that the petitioner did not submit a valid EWS category certificate for the financial year 2024-25, issued to him prior to closing date for submission of application forms, i.e., 20.08.2024. It is, however, contended that even if the petitioner is not to be considered as an EWS category candidate, he has a right of consideration as a General category candidate for the post of PGT Home Science pursuant to advertisement 18 to 37 of 2024, dated 23.07.2024.



3. Learned counsel for the Commission, appearing on advance notice, has no objection to consideration of the petitioner as a General category candidate for the post in question.
4. The petition is accordingly disposed of with a direction to the Commission to interview the petitioner today and consider her for the post as a General category candidate, in case she is physically present at the Commission's office before 04:30 PM.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

08.11.2024
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>