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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

114 (02 cases) CM-17796-CWP-2024 in/&
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Date of Decision :12.11.2024

Rakesh Kumar ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

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Bhupinder Singh ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Amit Sharma & Ajay Sharma, Advocates
for the petitioners.

Mr. Arun Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate with
Ms. Priya Kaushik, Advocate for respondents No.5 to 13.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

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Present applications have been filed for recalling the order



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dated 16.10.2024 passed by this Court by which, the main writ petitions were dismissed for non-prosecution.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Arun Gupta, DAG, Punjab and Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate with Ms. Priya Kaushik, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and respondents No.5 to 13 respectively and raises no objection for the grant of prayer as made in the present application.

Keeping in view the averments made in the applications, which are duly supported by an affidavit, application are allowed. Order dated 16.10.2024 passed by this Court is recalled and the main writ petitions are ordered to be restored to their original number and status and are taken up for hearing today itself.

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In the present petitions, the challenge is to the selection of 37 posts of Assistant Transport Officers, which posts were to be filled up by way of deputation from various Government departments.

Learned counsel for the respondents at the outset submits that the issue raised in the present petitions has also been raised in **CWP-6515-2024 titled as Tarlok Rai vs. State of Punjab and others**, wherein by passing a detailed order dated 04.07.2024, this Court has already dismissed the said petition keeping in view the order passed by the Division bench of this Court in LPA 789-2024.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has not been able to rebut

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the said contention of learned counsel for the respondents.

Keeping in view the above, present petitions are also dismissed
in terms of the order passed by this Court in Tarlok Rai (supra).

A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of connected
case.

November 12, 2024

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No