HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 12314/2024

1. Sandeep Tetarwal S/o Shi Banwari Lal Tetarwal, Aged About 29 Years, Resident Of Dhani Devi Khera, Post Govindpura, Tehsil Neem Ka Thana, District Neema Ka Thana
2. Gajanand Nath Sidh S/o Shri Godhu Nath Sidh, Aged About 35 Years, Resident Of Vpo Punrasar, Tehsil Shri Dungarh, District Bikaner
3. Sachin Kumar Mina S/o Shri Mandori Lal Mina, Aged About 23 Years, Resident Of V/p Bhooda, Tehsil Reni, District Alwar
4. Himanshu Didwania S/o Shri Rajesh Didwania, Aged About 25 Years, Resident Of A-166, Shasri Nagar, Bhilwara
5. Dilkhus Meena S/o Shri Kedar Lal Meena, Aged About 29 Years, Resident Of Village Puneta, Post Mamdoli, Tehsil Bonil, District Sawai Madhopur At Present Resident At Jhelum Apartment, 65, E-Block Pratap Nagar, Jaipur
6. Arun Singh S/o Shri Samandar Singh, Aged About 29 Years, Resident Of Village Nagla Dhawla, Post Baroli, Tehsil Bhusawar, District Bharatpur.
7. Vinod Singh S/o Shri Kan Singh, Aged About 24 Years, Resident Of Nirwa Khurd, Tehsil Khivsar, District Nagaur
8. Neeraj Joshi S/o Shri Om Prakash Sharma, Aged About 37 Years, Resident Of 13-14K, Green Field Public School Ke Samne, Ram Nagar Vistar, Sodala, Jaipur
9. Shrikrishna Yadav S/o Shri Phool Chand Yadav, Aged About 30 Years, Resident Of Vpo Prithampuri, Tehsil Neem Ka Thana, District Sikar
10. Dileep Poonia S/o Shri Bhagirath Mal, Aged About 31 Years, Resident Of Tiwari Ki Dhani No. 2, Khandela, Sikar

----Petitioners

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through The Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government Secretariat, Jaipur (Raj.)
2. The Director, Treasury, Jyoti Nagar, Lal Kothi, Jaipur

3. The Revenue Board, Ajmer Through Its Registrar

4. Rajasthan Staff Selection Board, Jaipur, Rajasthan Agriculture Management Institute Premises, Durgapura, Jaipur-302018 Through Its Secretary

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Tanveer Ahamad
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. B. S. Chabba, AAG with Mr. Avinash Choudhary, Mr. Hardik Saini, Mr. Digvijay Saini, Mr. Aniket Beniwal and Mr. Aditya Raj Mr. Sandeep Taneja, AAG with Mr. Aditya Sharma Mr. Gaurav Sharma Ms. Manju Joshi with Mr. Shriram Mr. Amit Lubhaya with Mr. Jakhar Mr. Shreyansh Jain Mr. Devesh Rajoria Ms. Garima Gothwal

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAMEER JAIN

Order

06/12/2024

Learned counsel for the petitioner has fairly conceded before this Court that the instant matter qua the answer key and other related issues for calculation of merit is no more *res integra,* as the same is adjudicated by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 11.09.2024 in **S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.13561/2024** titled as **Surendra Choudhary vs. Rajasthan Staff Selection Board and Ors.**

Learned counsel for the respondents has submitted that relaxation of 5 per cent in qualification marks is provided to the SC/ST category. It is further submitted that the candidate who has

applied in the Sports category belongs to the Scheduled Caste category, whereas the said candidate has obtained higher than minimum qualification marks in the said category.

Furthermore, it is submitted that the learned counsel for the petitioners has concealed a vital fact qua horizontal reservation therefore, the plea of petitioners qua relaxation in minimum qualifications marks for the SC/ST category is fallacious and against the principle of horizontal reservation.

Heard and considered.

Considering the arguments advanced by learned counsel for the parties, upon a perusal of records and taking note of the fact that as on date the *lis* in question is no more *res integra*, this Court deems it apposite to dispose of the present petition.

Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of. Pending application(s), if any, stand disposed of.

(SAMEER JAIN),J

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