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

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Date of Decision :18.02.2025

Ravi Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Advocate  
with Ms. Rinky Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gagneshwar Walia, Advocate for respondents No. 2 to 5.

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**Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)**

1. In the present petition, grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the petitioner is entitled for appointment to the post of Assistant Engineer/OT (Electrical Cadre) as advertised by the respondents vide advertisement dated 27.11.2024 (Annexure P/1) keeping in view the fact that the candidates, who are lower in merit than the petitioner have already been appointed whereas, the petitioner is still waiting for appointment, which action on the part of the respondents is arbitrary and illegal.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance in the representation dated 30.01.2025 (Annexure P/8), which is still pending consideration with the respondents

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and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representation.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Gagneshwar Walia, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of respondents No. 1 to 5 and submits that in case, the representation dated 30.01.2025 (Annexure P/8) has been received by the respondents and is still pending consideration, appropriate speaking order on the same will be passed within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and in case, the petitioner is found entitled for the relief, the same be extended to him otherwise, due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioner will be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which will be conveyed to the petitioner for his information and necessary action.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement made by learned counsel for the respondents No. 1 to 5, present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

6. Ordered accordingly.

**February 18, 2025**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes*  
*Whether reportable : No*