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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision :19.12.2024

Amandeep Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Vishal Mittal, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Amar Preet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners competed for the post of Master/Mistress in the subject of Math as advertised by the respondents vide advertisement dated 28.02.2020 (Annexure P/1) and though, the petitioners were higher in merit but they have not been considered for selection and appointment and the candidates lower in merit have been appointed.

Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that though, the select list was made in the year 2021 but the fact that the candidates lower in merit have been appointed, came to the notice of the petitioners later on and the petitioners have served the legal notice dated 01.06.2024 (Annexure P/12) upon the respondents and they will be satisfied at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said legal notice.

Notice of motion.

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Mr. Amar Preet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case legal notice dated 01.06.2024 (Annexure P/12) has been received from the petitioners, the same will be decided in accordance with law and an appropriate speaking order will be passed within a period of eight weeks of the receipt of copy of this order and in case, it is found that the petitioners are entitled for any relief, the same will be granted to the petitioners otherwise, due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioners will be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which will be conveyed to the petitioners for their information and necessary action.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that in view of the statement of learned counsel for the respondent-State, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

December 19, 2024

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No