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CWP-1239-2026 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 24.02.2026

Gaurav

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ROHIT KAPOOR**

Present: Mr. Sajjan Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Sanjeev Kaushik, Addl. AG, Haryana.

ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner is aggrieved by the Model Online Transfer Policy dated 23.05.2025, insofar as it relates to the Department of Higher Education, Haryana, concerning the employees of Haryana Education (College Cadre) Group-B, Service (Amendment) Rules, 2013, notified on 06.09.2013.

2. The petitioner although has made several other prayers, but the substance of his grievance is that, for grant of a higher pay scale, he is required to complete five years of service in a rural area; however, he has throughout been posted and has worked in urban areas.

3. It is stated that the petitioner had earlier represented for being posted to rural area but such claim of the petitioner has not been accorded consideration. This, in substance, is the petitioner's grievance.

4. Mr. Kaushik, learned Addl. AG, Haryana, contends that under the Transfer Policy, the petitioner has an option of indicating his choice, which would be accorded consideration. It is also stated that as far as possible, the petitioner's request for being posted in rural area, would be accorded consideration.

5. At this stage, counsel for the petitioner also expresses apprehension that going by the marking system, the petitioner may not be able to secure sufficient marks to be posted in a rural area.

6. On this aspect, learned State counsel makes a submission that while deciding the claim of the petitioner for being posted in a rural area, insufficiency of marks will not be a factor and his case will be considered soon after the transfer drive is completed.

7. In view of the fair stand taken by the learned State counsel, we dispose of this writ petition with the observation that the petitioner may indicate his choice as per the Online Transfer Policy for being posted in rural area. The concerned authorities would take an appropriate decision in respect of the petitioner's posting keeping in view his choice of rural area and as far as possible, the petitioner would be posted in a rural area, so that, he is able to complete the tenure of five years in the rural area, at the earliest.

8. The writ petition is disposed of accordingly.

9. All pending misc. application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

(ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA)
JUDGE

(ROHIT KAPOOR)
JUDGE

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1. Whether speaking/reasoned?	:	Yes/No
2. Whether reportable?	:	Yes/No