



IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT  
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-5072-2025

Date of Decision: 24.02.2025

RAJESH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ**

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Present: Mr. Vinay Singh Rathee, Advocate and  
Mr. Vijay Deep Rathee, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Ms. Tanisha Peshawaria, DAG, Haryana

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**VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)**

The petitioner has approached this Court raising a challenge to the Notice/Announcement dated 14.07.2024 (Annexure P-9) issued by the Secretary, Haryana Staff Selection Commission wherein the candidates having less marks than the petitioner in ESP (Gen) Category have been declared selected, ignoring the claim of the petitioner and a further prayer to direct the respondent-Commission and State of Haryana to consider the candidature of the petitioner as per his merit and further grant him the appointment under ESP (Gen) category, since candidates having less marks have been declared selected on 14.07.2024 (Annexure P-9).



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2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, at this juncture, the petitioner would be satisfied in case respondent No.2-Secretary, Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Panchkula is directed to decide the representation dated 03.12.2024 (Annexure P-10) and the grievance espoused by the petitioner therein by passing a reasoned and speaking order thereupon in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Ms. Tanisha Peshawaria, DAG, Haryana appears on behalf of the respondents and submits she has no objection to the aforesaid prayer being granted.

5. Accordingly, with the consent of the parties and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of and respondent No.2-Secretary, Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Panchkula, is directed to decide the representation dated 03.12.2024 (Annexure P-10) and to pass a reasoned and speaking order thereupon in accordance with law preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

**FEBRUARY 24, 2025**

*Vishal Sharma*

**(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)**

**JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned* : Yes/No

*Whether reportable* : Yes/No