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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

2025 PHHC 016046

CWP No.7593 of 2022(O&M) Date of Decision: 04.02.2025

Veenit Kumar and others

....Petitioners

VS.

Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam through its Managing Director and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: None for the petitioners

Mr. Jagbir Malik, Advocate for respondent No. 1

Mr. Rajat Mor, Advocate for respondents No. 3 and 7

Mr.Kartik, Advocate for Mr. Baljeet Beniwal, Advocate for respondent No. 4

Mr. Kishan Garg, Advocate and Mr. Divye Jerath, Advocate for respondent No. 5

Mr. Varun Nehra, Advocate for Mr. Sunil K.Nehra, Advocate for respondent No. 6

Mr. Ravinder Malik (Ravi), Advocate for respondent No. 8

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

 The petitioners through instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to official respondents to verify self declared statement of private respondents. CWP No.7593 of 2022(O&M) -2-



- 2. The petitioners pursuant to advertisement applied for the post of Junior System Engineer. They had applied under Economically Weaker Section (EWS) category. The private respondents came to be selected. They are claiming that private respondents have been appointed without verifying statement of status filed by them. The respondent has awarded marks on the basis of Socio-Economic Criteria. The respondent has not verified statement filed by private respondents and if it is verified, it would prove that private respondents have wrongly disclosed their Socio-Economic status.
- 3. Mr. Jagbir Malik, Advocate submits that competent authority has verified certificates of all the candidates who have submitted self declared statement for claiming marks to be awarded on the basis of Socio-Economic Criteria. There is no case of mis-declaration, thus, private respondents have been rightly selected. They have joined their post and working since 2021.
- 4. From the written statement and averment of respondent No. 1, it is evident that respondent has already carried out exercise of verification of self declared statement filed by private respondents, thus, the instant petition has rendered infructuous.
- Dismissed as having been rendered infructuous. The petitioners are at liberty to move an appropriate application within three months, if cause survives.
- Pending Misc. application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

04.02.2025 paramjit (JAGMOHAN BANSAL) JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes	
Whether reportable:		No