

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

Order Sheet

WPS No. 7177 of 2021

Alok Dev **Versus** State Of Chhattisgarh and ors.

04/01/2022	Shri Anchal Kumar Matre, counsel for the petitioner/s. Shri Amrito Das, Addl. A.G. for the State. Shri Anand Mohan Tiwari, counsel for PSC. Heard on application for amendment in the writ petition. Upon consideration, the application is allowed. Amendment be incorporated within 7 days from today. Thereafter, amended petition be filed. Heard on admission. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that ignoring the merit of the petitioner, respondent No.11 has been promoted to the post of Additional Director and his ACR for the year 2016 has been downgraded by the DPC. It is submitted that DPC is not empowered in view of the decision rendered by the Delhi High Court in the case of Avtar Singh Arora v. Union of India and ors. in WPC No.13147/2018 decided on 04/12/2019 against which, SLP no.10581/2021 was filed, which has been dismissed by the Supreme Court. Admit. Issue notice to the respondents 1 to 4 and 11 only on payment of P.F. and copies within 7 days. Issue notice on I.A.No.1, application for grant of stay also as above. Promotion of respondent No.11 shall be subject to final outcome

of the petition.

List the matter for further orders on **14/02/2022**.

Sd/-
(Sanjay K. Agrawal)
Judge

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