

Sanjeev Kumar and ors. Vs. State of H.P. and anr.

CWPOA No. 6514 of 2019

14.06.2023 Present: Mr. Vijender Katoch, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Anup Rattan, Advocate General with Mr. Ramakant Sharma, Ms. Sharmila Patial, Additional Advocate Generals and Mr. Rajat Chauhan, Law Officer, for respondent No.1/State.

Ms. Shubh Mahajan, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

On 12.06.2023, the Court passed the following order:-

“Although, the inquiry report has been filed, however, we are not at all satisfied with the same. It would be noticed that two of the officers holding inquiry, were in fact, the part of the recruitment process, being members of the recruitment Committee. In such circumstances, obviously, the inquiry is required to be conducted by an independent multi-member body, of which, atleast Mr. M.K. Sharma, Regional Manager now Divisional Manager (Admn.) and Mr. Pawan Mahajan, Divisional Manager now General Manager (CP), ought not to be the members.

Let the respondent-Corporation supply a list of its senior officers, within a period of two days.

List on 14th June, 2023.”

Learned counsel for respondent No.2 has handed over the list of Senior Officers of the H.R.T.C, which is taken on record. In view of the facts and circumstances, we deem it appropriate to reconstitute the Committee. The Committee shall now comprise of S/Sh. Pankaj Singhal, General Manager, Avtar Singh, Divisional Manager (Non-Tech.), Rajeev Kumar, Executive

Director and Sh. Bhajan Singh, Law Officer. The newly constituted Committee shall enquire into the matter regarding discrepancies made in the appointment of Transport Multipurpose Assistants in HRTC against Sports Quota from the year 2004 onwards and submit its report within three months.

List on **06.09.2023**.

(Tarlok Singh Chauhan)
Judge

(Satyen Vaidya)
Judge

14th June, 2023

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