

**RAJNEESH CHAUHAN AND OTHERS Versus  
HPPCL AND ANOTHER A/W CONNECTED  
MATTER**

**EX.PT-266 of 2024 &  
EX.PT-280 of 2024**

**24.07.2025**

Present: Mr. Dilip Sharma, Sr. Advocate, with Mr. Manish Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner(s), in both the petitions.

Mr. Yashveer Singh Rathore, Advocate, for the respondents.

Having perused reply filed on behalf of respondents vis-a-vis directions contained in the judgment, sought to be executed, this Court has no hesitation to conclude that compliance, sought to be placed on record is not in conformity with the mandate contained in the judgment passed by this Court.

Having perused averments contained in the reply, this Court is persuaded to agree with Mr. Dilip Sharma, learned Senior Counsel representing the petitioners that attempt has been made by respondents to misstate the facts and confuse the entire issue by placing reliance upon order dated 17.01.2024 passed by Coordinate Bench of this Court in CWP No.725 of 2024, perusal whereof reveals that it nowhere prohibits the respondents from finalizing the seniority list, rather, liberty has been given to respondents to finalize the seniority list and then make promotions from the final seniority list so prepared. There is no embargo, if any, for respondents to finalize the seniority list, but it appears that same is not purposely finalized, as a result thereof,

petitioners herein, who have been otherwise held entitled to promotion are not being promoted.

Faced with aforesaid situation, learned counsel representing the respondents prays for and is granted two weeks' time to have instructions. This Court hopes and trusts that on or before the next date of hearing, needful in terms of judgment, sought to be executed, shall be done in its letter and spirit, failing which, this Court would be constrained to attach the property of the department as well as salary of erring officials towards implementation and execution of judgment, sought to be executed.

List on 21.08.2025.

**July 24, 2025**

*(Rajeev Raturi)*

**(Sandeep Sharma),  
Judge**