

**Birender Singh Bhagta v. State of H.P. &
Anr.
CWP No.15321 of 2024**

17.12.2024 Present: Mr. Kush Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Pushpinder Jaswal, Additional Advocate General, for the respondents-State.

Issue notice. Mr. Pushpinder Jaswal, learned Additional Advocate General, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

The contention of the petitioner is that despite the fact that he suffers 45% disability, he is not being considered for promotion under the quota prescribed for persons with disabilities. Learned counsel for the petitioner has drawn the attention of the Court to Annexure P-3 and has submitted that simply because the petitioner joined the service in the general category, the right of promotion under the quota prescribed for persons with disabilities is being denied to the petitioner, which is bad, as it violates the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

Learned Additional Advocate General to have instructions as to why the petitioner is being ignored for the purpose of consideration for promotion under the quota of persons with disabilities, if he is suffering from disability of more than 45%, which, as per the petitioner render him eligible for consideration under said quota.

List on 06.01.2025.

(Ajay Mohan Goel)
Judge

December 17, 2024
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