



2025:HHC:40037

IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No.18246 of 2025

Decided on: 26th November, 2025

Anil Kumar and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. and others

.....Respondents

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Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua

Whether approved for reporting?¹

For the Petitioners: Mr. Manohar Lal Sharma, Advocate.

For the Respondents: Mr. Y.P.S. Dhaulta, Additional Advocate
General.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge

Notice. Mr. Y.P.S. Dhaulta, learned Additional
Advocate General, appears and waives service of notice on
behalf of the respondents.

2. With the consent of learned counsel for the
parties, the matter is heard at this stage.

3. Petitioners are serving as Patwaris in the
respondent-Revenue Department in District Bilaspur. They
seek directions to the respondents for promotion to the post
of Kanungo on completion of six years of service as
Patwari/Village Revenue Officer combined with the
contractual service rendered by them. Learned counsel for

¹ Whether reporters of print and electronic media may be allowed to see the order? Yes.



the petitioners submits that the petitioners have preferred a representation in this regard to respondents No.2 and 3 on 11.10.2025 (Annexure P-9), however, the said representation has not been decided till date. Learned counsel further submitted that the petitioners would be satisfied in case respondents No.2 & 3/competent authority(s) are directed to consider and decide the aforesaid representation in accordance with law within a fixed-time schedule. Learned Additional Advocate General is not averse to this prayer.

4. Having regard to the afore-submissions, but without examining the merits of the matter, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents No.2 & 3/competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representation of the petitioners dated 11.10.2025 (Annexure P-9) in accordance with law within a period of six weeks from today. The decision so arrived at shall also be communicated to the petitioners.

The writ petition stands disposed of in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any.

November 26, 2025
Mukesh

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge