

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

W.P. (S) No. 973 of 2021

CORAM: THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DR. S.N.PATHAK

For the Petitioners	:	Mr. Manoj Tandon, Advocate
For the Respondents	:	Mr. Sanjoy Piprawal, Advocate
		Mr. Prince Kumar, Advocate
		Mr. Rakesh Ranjan, Advocate

05/ 18.07.2023 Mr. Manoj Tandon, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though the petitioner was selected and working as Asst. Professor under a Schedule Tribe Category for which the respondents were very much aware and it was only mere a formality to submit a certificate as desired by the respondent in fresh advertisement. He further submits that though the caste certificate was submitted by the petitioner, but the same was not in proper format, which cannot be a ground for rejection of the candidature of the petitioner for the post of Associate Professor.

2. Mr. Sanjoy Piprawal, learned counsel for the respondents submits that no appointments can be made de hors the rule, whatever is in the Rule, is to be followed by the candidate as well as department.

3. Since counter-affidavit has not been filed, the respondents are directed to file the same, within a period of four weeks.

4. Put up this case on 31.08.2023.

(Dr. S.N. Pathak, J.)