

**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR**

D.B. Special Appeal Writ No. 1141/2018

B.m. Jhanwar S/o Late Shri Kistur Chand Jhanwar

----Appellant

Versus

The Punjab National Bank

----Respondent

For Appellant(s) : Shri S.D. Khaspuria

For Respondent(s) :

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MOHAMMAD RAFIQ
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GOVERDHAN BARDHAR**

Order

14/09/2018

Learned counsel for the appellant has argued that on exactly identical charges, the respondent-bank has awarded penalty of censure to Shri Y.R. John, working as Branch Manager at Relief Road Branch, Ahmedabad. Charge against him was of accepting application form for share allotment after the closure of the issue, whereas on this very charge, the appellant has been awarded penalty of dismissal by the same employer. Thus, the action of the respondents is discriminatory being violative of Articles 14 and 16 of the Constitution of India.

Admit. Issue notice, returnable by six weeks.

(GOVERDHAN BARDHAR),J

(MOHAMMAD RAFIQ),J