

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
AT JAIPUR BENCH

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.9168/2013

Rajveer Choudhary

Versus

The State of Rajasthan & Ors.

DATE OF ORDER : 31/05/2013

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.N. BHANDARI

Mr. A.K. Pareek, for petitioner

Mr. S.N. Kumawat, AAG, for respondent/s

Learned counsel for petitioner has shown urgency in the matter thus writ petition was taken up for consideration. It is in view of the fact that selection test is going to be held in the month of June, 2013.

Looking to the nature of controversy, Shri S.N. Kumawat, AAG was called to put in appearance as he had appeared in earlier writ petition filed by Suresh Choudhary raising certain questions in reference to Rule 273 of Rajasthan Land Revenue (Land Record) Rules, 1957 (in short "**Rules of 1957**"). The writ petition was dismissed by this court after hearing the parties. A news was flashed thereupon on 18.05.2013 at Annexure-3 to show that question paper would be made available by the Police University. According to the learned counsel for petitioner, now no secrecy exists after aforesaid news thus if selections are permitted through Police University then one cannot depose confidence in it.

Learned counsel Shri S.N. Kumawat, AAG was asked to explain the aforesaid and on instructions, it is submitted that the Police University is engaged only as Nodal Agency otherwise selection would be done under the supervision of Board of Revenue and through the Collector. It was specifically clarified that after flash of news and otherwise printing of papers would not be by Police University but from independent Press/Agency. It is also stated that paper would be set by the expert of subject concerned and not through a person unknown to the subject. The aforesaid has been taken in satisfaction to the issue raised by learned counsel for petitioner.

In view of the above, this writ petition is disposed of with the clarification that if Police University is not nominated as Nodal Agency, selection be made strictly as per Rule 273 of the Rules of 1957. The printing of papers should not be now in the Police University as it has been disclosed in the news thus to maintain secrecy, it is agreed to be printed from an independent Press/Agency without disclosure of source. Thus, Police University would be expected to get the printing of papers from an independent agency with required secrecy, they would also be expected to set the papers through expert of the subject concerned with all care to maintain secrecy. This disposes of stay application also.

[M.N.BHANDARI], J.

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