

W P No. 10189 / 2013

29/02/2016

None for the petitioner.

Mr. M. Parwal, learned counsel for the respondent – State.

Mr. V P Khare, learned counsel for the respondent No.2 – M. P. Public Service Commission.

The petitioner before this Court has filed this present writ petition for issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction, directing the respondent – M. P. Public Service Commission to consider the case of the petitioner in respect of Main Examination Civil Services 2010.

The contention of the petitioner is that she belongs to Scheduled Caste and a Certificate to that effect was issued by Tehsil Agra and the respondents have not accepted the aforesaid certificate. A prayer has also been made by the petitioner for grant of time to produce the caste certificate.

The respondents have filed a reply and the stand of the respondents is that the petitioner was required to submit a caste certificate issued by the Sub Divisional Officer (Revenue) from the State of Madhya Pradesh as it is provided under the Rules known as M.P. State Civil Services Examination Rules, 2008. Rule 15(1) of the aforesaid Rules reads as under :

15(1) The candidates claiming any relaxation in age or any other concession must attach with their application forms for the main examination, as photocopy of the appropriate certificate issued by the Competent Authority. A permanent Caste certificate relating to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes or other backward classes issued by a Sub Divisional Officer (Revenue) who is authorised by the Government of M.P. To issue caste certificate, must be attached compulsorily with the application form. **In case of married women, the caste**

certificate held by their father alone will be accepted.

If a candidate fails to produce permanent certificate of caste and other certificates in original, at the time of interview, his candidature shall be rejected for which the candidate himself shall be responsible. Any undertaking or representation by the candidates in this connection while not accepting them shall just be filed. In the absence of the required certificates their cases for a claim to any relaxation / concession shall not be considered.

The petitioner has not submitted a caste certificate within time while submitting her application form nor the same has been obtained and filed along with the present Writ Petition lateron.

This Court is of the considered opinion that as the petitioner was not possessing a caste certificate issued by the Sub Divisional Officer, Revenue, the question of granting relief to the petitioner in the year 2016, in respect of 2010 Civil Service Examination, does not arise.

Accordingly, the admission is declined.

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