

IN THE HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH
AT JABALPUR

WP No. 24880 of 2025

(DR. SWATI TIWARI AND OTHERS Vs THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH AND OTHERS)

WP/16383/2025, WP/24881/2025, WP/24914/2025, WP/32095/2025, WP/36008/2025,
WP/36073/2025

Dated : 21-07-2026

Shri Manoj Kumar Sharma, Senior Advocate assisted by Ms. Lavanya Verma, Advocate, Shri Hirdesh Pal, Advocate and Shri Suyash Mohan Guru, Advocate for petitioners.

Shri C.S. Vaidyanathan, Senior Advocate assisted by Shri Mirnal Elkar Majumdar, Advocate through video conferencing, Shri Prashant Singh, Advocate General, Shri H.S. Ruprah, Addl. Advocate General, Shri Abhishek Singh, Govt. Advocate and Smt. Janhavi Pandit, Addl. Advocate General for respondents-State.

Shri Rameshwar Singh Thakur, Senior Advocate assisted by Shri Vinayak Prasad Shah, Shri Mohd. Ali, Senior Advocate assisted by Shri Amit Raizada, Advocate, Pushpendra Kumar Shah, Vivekanand Sahu, Advocate, Shri Abhilasha Lodhi, Advocate, for interveners.

It is informed that another matter in regard to challenge to 27% reservation in favour of a particular segment of community is pending before a Coordinate Bench. Hearing is going on in that matter and, therefore, till hearing is completed in that matter, since there are common **counsel** in both the matters, it would be appropriate to take up this matter once hearing is concluded in that matter.

Shri Manoj Sharma, learned Senior Advocate, has an apprehension that State is going ahead in full throttle to make promotions. He points out

several discrepancies in the promotion orders so to prejudice the interest of General Category candidates.

Shri Prashant Singh, learned Advocate General for the State, assures that all promotions are subject to the outcome of these sets of the writ petitions and equity will not be a ground, in case, the judgment of the High Court is otherwise, and immediately appropriate steps will be taken to revert the promoted persons and grant promotions to others, who may be found eligible.

On request of the parties, list this case on **03.08.2026**, for hearing at 10:30 A.M., as the first case.

(VIVEK AGARWAL)
JUDGE

(VINAY SARAF)
JUDGE

A.Praj.