

**208 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP-17472-2011

Date of decision: December 14, 2015

HARPREET SINGH MAHAL

...Petitioner

VERSUS

GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY & ORS.

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Vishal Goel, Advocate for
Mr. J.S. Thind, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amrit Paul, Advocate
for respondents No.1 and 2.

Mr. Pawan Kumar, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Rozer Kumar Aggarwal, Advocate
for respondents No.3 to 5.

LISA GILL, J.(ORAL)

Respondents have raised a preliminary objection that petitioner is not eligible in terms of the advertisement dated 13th April, 2011 for the post of Assistant Professor for Electronics and Computers while referring to Annexure R-1/1.

Mr. Pawan Kumar, Senior Advocate refers to the educational qualification stipulated for the post of Assistant Professor i.e. First Class Master's degree in the appropriate branch of Engineering and Technology. Notification of the petitioner's result of the masters degree is dated 31st August, 2011 (Annexure R-3/1) and his degree Annexure R-3/2 is dated 17th August, 2011.

Admittedly last date of submission of applications pursuant to the abovesaid advertisement was 9th May, 2011. Interviews were conducted on 22nd June, 2011. Even till the holding of the interview, petitioner had not obtained the necessary degree.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable refute this factual aspect. No ground is pointed out which may call for interference by this Court. In the light of the petitioner, not even possessing the basic qualification, no direction can be issued in his favour.

In view of the above, this writ petition being devoid of any merit is dismissed.

December 14, 2015
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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE