

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

**CWP No.13008 of 2016
Decided on : 08.07.2016**

Governing Body of Guru Nanak Girls College, Sant Pura, Yamuna
Nagar (Haryana)

... Petitioner

Versus

National Council for Teachers Education & others ... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

Present : Mr.R.K.Malik, Sr.Advocate
with Mrs.Rimple Kadyan, Advocate, for the petitioner.

G.S. Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

Petitioner challenges the decision of respondent No.2, taken on its 253rd meeting held from 30.05.2016 to 03.06.2016, vide which, the application of the petitioner for grant of recognition was refused under Sections 14/15(3)(b) of the National Council for Teachers Education Act, 1993 (for short, the 'Act').

Senior Counsel for the petitioner has vehemently submitted that the petitioner is a minority institution and therefore, the reasoning given for declining the recognition on account of the ban imposed, would not be applicable.

Admittedly, the said order is appealable under Section 18 of the Act.

Faced with this situation, counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition and prays that the same may be dismissed as withdrawn, with liberty to approach the Appellate Authority, raising all the said pleas before it. It is further submitted that since the academic year is to start, the appeal be decided within a fixed time-frame.

The said prayer, in the facts and circumstances, is justified.

Ordered accordingly. The Appellate Authority shall decide the appeal, within a period of 4 weeks from the date of its filing.

JULY 8th, 2016
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE