

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

Civil Writ Petition No. 1635 of 2017

Date of Decision: 28.02.2017

Gitanjali Abrol

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Karan Choudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harkesh Manuja, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for quashing the transfer order dated 14.12.2016 (**Annexure P-8**), posting Balwinder Pal as Lecturer in Political Science at Govt. Sr. Sec. School (Boys), Gurdaspur; as also quashing the action of respondent Nos.3 and 4, whereby they have not allowed the petitioner to join her duties as Lecturer (Political Science) at Govt. Sr. Sec. School (Boys), Gurdaspur inspite of transfer order dated 12.11.2016 (**Annexure P-3**) with modified order dated 16.11.2016 (**Annexure P-7**), instead passed order (**P-8**).

The grievance of the petitioner is that on her request, she was transferred from Govt. Sr. Sec. School Hardoshani, Gurdaspur to Govt. Sr. Sec. School (Boys), Gurdaspur, vide order dated 15.11.2016 (**Annexure P-3**). After being relieved from the Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Hardoshani, she went to join the new assignment but she was not allowed to do the same by respondent No.4/Principal on the ground that there is no vacant post of the

Lecturer (Political Science). Thereafter, she made an application dated 21.11.2016 (**Annexure P-5**) to rejoin at her pervious place of posting. In the meanwhile, she had also moved an application dated 15.11.2016 (**Annexure P-6**) for modification of the transfer order dated 12.11.2016 (**P-3**). On her request/representation, transfer order dated 12.11.2016 was modified to the extent that whenever the post of Lecturer (Political Science) is vacant, the petitioner be allowed to join the same, vide order dated 16.11.2016 (**Annexure P-7**). Thereafter, despite the fact that the said post was available on account of retirement of Smt. Anu Nanda, the petitioner on 31.12.2016 was not allowed to join the new assignment, instead order (**P-8**) was passed transferring Balwinder Pal at the said School.

At the time of hearing, learned Counsel for the petitioner prays for permission to withdraw the present petition as the grievance of the petitioner stands redressed.

Accordingly, the present petition stands dismissed as withdrawn.

February 28, 2017

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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>