

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.14510 of 2013

Date of Decision: 01.10.2018

Dr. Inder Jeet

... Petitioner

Versus

Maharishi Dayanand University
Rohtak and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr. Ramesh Malik, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. B.L. Gupta, Advocate,
for respondent No.1.

Mr. Salil Sabhlok, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

Mr. Anurag Goyal, Advocate,
and Mr. Sunil Nehra, Advocate,
for respondent No.3.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J.(Oral)

1. Mr. Ramesh Malik, learned counsel has filed Vakalatnama on behalf of the petitioner which is taken on record.

2. The learned counsel Mr. Ramesh Malik appearing for the petitioner, Mr. B.L. Gupta appearing for respondent No.1, Mr. Salil Sabhlok appearing for respondent No.2 – UGC and Mr. Anurag Goyal and Mr. Sunil Nehra, appearing for respondent No.3 in one voice say that the present petition has been rendered infructuous with the retirement of respondent No.3 on reaching the age of superannuation 31.10.2016. The challenge in this petition was to the selection and promotion of respondent no 3 to the post of Professor (Geography) under the Career Advancement Scheme.

With the retirement, the issue has become academic. In case, the cause of action has not abated, then the petitioner would be free to apply for revival of this petition.

3. The dismissal of this petition will not be taken as an imprimatur of this Court on the validity of the selection and promotion of respondent No.3.

4. Dismissed as infructuous with the aforesaid liberty.

(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No