

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.12326 of 2015
Date of Decision: 09.02.2018

Mahabir Singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

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

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. Amit Rao, Advocate,
for Mr. Anurag Goyal, Advocate,
for respondent No.3.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (Oral)

On June 15, 2015 the following order was passed:-

“Heard at length.

The respondent No.5 is directed to forward the application of the petitioner within two days from today i.e. latest by 17.06.2015 to Himachal Pradesh Central University with a specific note that degree of Ph.D. allegedly obtained by the petitioner-Mahabir Singh is by way of Distant Education and is not recognized by their University i.e. Maharishi Dayanand Recognized University, Rohtak, Haryana. Hence, it is for the Himachal Pradesh Central University in its discretion to take its own decision, about the same, whether to treat it as a valid degree or not.

Now to come up on 04.08.2015.”

The interim order actually concludes the case and nothing is left to be decided or determined by this Court.

Before parting with this order, this Court can only record its

dismay of persons who claim rights holding Ph.D. degrees earned through off campus-distance education mode.

The petition stands dismissed.

(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*