

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

**CWP No.30352 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.11.2018**

Anjali Sharma and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Dr. Naresh Kaushik, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ritu Bahri, J.

Petitioners are seeking direction to the respondents not to relieve/replace them against temporary/contractual appointment, transfer or deputation appointments, except regular appointments.

Petitioner No.1 is working as Extension Lecturer in the subject of Zoology in Government College, Jind since 16.07.2017 and petitioner No.2 is working as Extension Lecturer in English since 25.08.2015. They are not eligible as they have not qualified NET/Ph.D. However, they are seeking direction that they should not be replaced by another set of Extension Lecturers. They can only be replaced by regularly selected candidates.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Harish Rathee, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this

petition is disposed of by giving direction to the respondents to allow the petitioners to work till regular appointments are made and the petitioners shall not be replaced on the basis of transfer of contractual/temporary employee. However, it is further made clear that if, some new regular candidate joins, the petitioners can be relieved as per **Menka and others vs. State of Haryana and others**, decided on 05.05.2016. The respondents will also consider the retention of the petitioners as per the guidelines issued on 13.07.2018 (Annexure P-5). This exercise be completed within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

30.11.2018
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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No