

* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

Date of Order: May 21, 2018

+ **W.P.(C) 5493/2018**

DELHI UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE KARAMCHARI

UNION AND OTHERS

..... Petitioners

Through: Mr. Bajrang Vats, Ms. Geeta
Ujjwal and Mr. Sudhir Kumar,
Advocates

versus

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

..... Respondents

Through: Mr. Arun Bhardwaj, CGSC for
R-1,2 and 3.
Mr. Manoj Ranjan Sinha and Ms.
Isha Mittal, Advocates for R-5
Mr. Amit Bansal and Ms. Seema
Dolo, Advocate for R-6
Mr. L R Khatana, proxy counsel
for Mr. S Rajappa, Advocate for
R- 7 and 9.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL GAUR

ORDER
(ORAL)

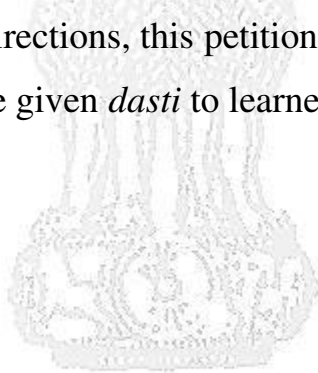
Vide Office Memorandum of 3rd November, 2017 (Annexure P-28), respondent-*Ministry of Human Resources Development* had sought from respondent-*Ministry of Finance* orders for grant of Non-Productivity Linked Bonus (Ad-hoc Bonus) for the year 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 to the employees of autonomous bodies including IITs. Vide impugned Office Memorandum of 30th January, 2018 (Annexure P-30) respondent-

Ministry of Finance has given a cryptic response to the effect that no orders have been issued for grant of ad hoc bonus in case of employees of autonomous bodies, but why, has not been spelt out in the impugned order (Annexure P-30).

The least what is required of respondent-*Ministry of Finance* is to re-consider the impugned Office Memorandum (Annexure P-30) within a period of eight weeks and if for any reason whatsoever, the ad-hoc bonus is not to be granted to the employees of the autonomous bodies for the year 2015-2016 and 2016-2017, then the reasons for not granting be spelt out and conveyed to petitioners within twelve weeks, so that petitioners may avail of the remedies, as available in law, if need be.

With the aforesaid directions, this petition is disposed of.

Copy of this order be given *dasti* to learned counsel for the parties.



(SUNIL GAUR)
JUDGE

MAY 21, 2018

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