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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCP-3433-2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 29.08.2019

National Institute of Technology Faculty Forum Jalandhar .. Petitioner
Versus

Prof. (Dr.) Lalit Kumar Awasthi .. Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Kushagar Chander, Advocate for
Mr. Amarish Chander Tiwari, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vivek Singla, Advocate
for the respondent.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J. (Oral)

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Allowed as prayed for.

A short affidavit on behalf of the respondent is taken on record
as Annexure-R-1.

COCP-3433-2018

The present contempt petition has been filed alleging wilful
disobedience of the order dated 12.10.2017 passed by this Court in
CWP No. 27134 of 2016. The operative part of the order is reproduced
below:

*“Since this limited plea is raised before this court,
petition is disposed of with the observation that in case any
representation is filed by the petitioner-Association, question
of withdrawal of recognition shall be reconsidered by the*

respondent-Institute. An opportunity of hearing be afforded to the petitioner-Association and fresh order be passed as per law.”

A short affidavit of Professor Dr. Lalit Kumar Awasthi, Chairman Board of Governor-cum-Director of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology annexing order dated 26.12.2018, is filed, same is taken on record, a copy is handed over to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the respondent has not appreciated the fact and the legal position while passing the said order properly.

The contention raised by the learned counsel for the petitioner cannot be gone in to the present contempt proceedings as the direction of this Court was only to decide after providing opportunity of hearing.

In case, the petitioner is aggrieved, liberty is granted to the petitioner to avail the remedies in accordance with law against the decision of the Department.

Disposed of with liberty as prayed for.

Rule issued against the respondent is discharged.

29th August, 2019
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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

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