

(123) IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.12047 of 2019
Date of decision: 10.05.2019

Shriya Sharma.

..... Petitioner

Versus

GNA University and another.

.... Respondents

BEFORE: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.S. WALIA.

Present: Mr. Amit Dhawan, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. R.S. Bajaj, Advocate for the respondents.

B.S. WALIA, J. (ORAL)

[1] Writ petition has been filed seeking directions to the respondents to issue roll number to the petitioner as also for allowing her to appear in the Bachelor of Sciences (Information Technology) 6th Semester examination scheduled to commence on 13.05.2019.

[2] Notice of motion was issued on 07.05.2019 for 09.05.2019. On 09.05.2019, counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents contended that shortage of lectures of the petitioner could not be condoned under the discretionary powers of the HOD/Dean as well as Vice Chancellor of the University, consequentially, the petitioner could not be issued the roll number.

[3] Today, written statement has been filed on behalf of the respondents. Copy handed over to learned counsel for the petitioner. During the course of arguments, learned counsel for the respondents on instructions from Mr. Narender Awasthi, Registrar of the University states that on recalculation after filing of the reply, the total lectures attended by the petitioner work out to 55.56% and that still the petitioner is short of 50 lectures. Learned counsel further states that as a special gesture, University

having been detained on account of shortage of lectures, Special Examination would be conducted in the month of July, 2019 after conducting special classes to enable the students who are short of lectures to make up the deficiency in attendance. Therefore, the petitioner can attend the make-up classes to make-up the deficiency of 50 lectures.

Learned counsel states that the in case the petitioner attends the make-up classes to be conducted by the University for appearing in the Special Examination to be conducted in July, 2019 and makes up the shortage of lectures by attending the classes to be conducted by the University, the petitioner shall be allowed to appear in the examination to be conducted in July, 2019.

[4] Learned counsel for the petitioner on instructions from the petitioner and her father, who are present in Court, states that the offer made by the learned counsel for the respondents on instructions from the Registrar of the University is acceptable and that in the circumstances, the writ petition be disposed of in terms of the said offer.

[5] In the light of the statement of learned counsel for the parties, the writ petition is disposed of. Respondents/University shall conduct make-up classes to enable the petitioner to make-up deficiency in lectures and after attending the make-up classes and making-up the deficiency in the shortage of lectures, the petitioner will be allowed to appear in the Special Examination to be conducted by the University in the month of July, 2019.

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(B.S. Walia)
Judge

- 1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No.
- 2. Whether reportable : Yes/No.