

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.

(116)

CWP-21993-2019

Date of Decision: August 21, 2019

Gurmail Kaur

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. R.K. Arora, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that keeping in view the order passed by this Court in CWP No.19637 of 2014 titled as Gurmail Kaur Vs. State of Punjab and others, decided on 18.08.2017 (Annexure P-10), the claim of the petitioner was to be considered by the Director of Public Instructions and appropriate speaking order was to be passed by him but in total disregard to the direction given by this Court, impugned order dated 12.10.2018 (Annexure P-11) has been passed by the District Education Officer, which was beyond his jurisdiction and rather amounts to contempt of Court.

Notice of motion.

Keeping in view the advance notice given, Ms. Sunint Kaur, AAG, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice.

Learned counsel for the respondents-State, on the instructions from Sh. Baljinder Singh, Law Officer (Education), states that order dated 12.10.2018 (Annexure P-11) be treated as withdrawn and the State be given liberty to pass a fresh order in pursuance to the direction given by this Court in CWP No.19637 of 2014 dated 18.08.2017 (Annexure P-10).

As the impugned order has been withdrawn, the present writ petition is disposed of having been rendered infructuous. However, respondents will be at liberty to pass a fresh order in accordance with the direction given in CWP No.19637 of 2014 dated 18.08.2017.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

August 21, 2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether reportable: Yes/No