

214 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-7502-2021(O&M)
Date of Decision:09.04.2021

Munish Kumar Bedi

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and another

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr . Sajjan Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr.Sharan Sethi, Addl.AG, Haryana.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

This case has been taken up through Video Conferencing via Webex facility in the light of Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Instant petition came up for preliminary hearing before this Court on 01.04.2021 and the following order was passed:-

“ This case has been taken up through Video Conferencing via Webex facility in the light of Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Petitioner is serving on the post of Veterinary Surgeon under the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, State of Haryana.

Vide order dated 16.02.2018 at Annexure P-1 and while the petitioner was serving at Govt. Veterinary Hospital, Ganoli, District Panchkula he was granted study leave to pursue the Ph.D. degree for the sessions 2017-18 to 2020-21. It has been averred that petitioner is now armed with a doctorate degree is to join back today itself i.e. 01.04.2021.

The precise grievance raised in the petition is that the respondent-authorities during the period of the sanctioned

study leave of three years has been issuing transfer orders and is now attempting to implement a transfer order dated 05.03.2019 (Annexure P-11) upon the petitioner to join at Govt. Veterinary Hospital, Nirjan, District Jind.

It is inter alia argued that it was not open for the competent authority to issue transfer orders pertaining to the petitioner while he was availing sanctioned study leave. Further contended that upon joining back petitioner would have a right to submit his options as per the ongoing transfer drive and thereafter to be issued a place of transfer/joining.

Notice of motion returnable for 09.04.2021.

Mr.Sharan Sethi, learned Addl.AG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2 and waives service.

A complete copy of the petition already stands furnished.

The State counsel is directed to complete instructions in the matter prior to the adjourned date.”

Mr. Sharan Sethi, learned Addl.AG, Haryana during the course of resumed hearing today makes a statement that petitioner would be permitted to participate in the ongoing online transfer drive.

Statement is accepted.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that such stand taken on behalf of the State redresses the grievance of the petitioner.

In view of the above, no further directions are required to be passed.

Writ petition disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No