

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 1490 of 2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 28.02.2022

Harileen Kaur Saimbhi

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE
(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual Court).

Present : Mr. Gurminder Singh, Sr. Advocate with
Ms. Harpriya Khaneka, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. V.M.Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE (oral)

CM No. 2672 of 2022

For the reasons mentioned, the application is allowed and the documents attached with the same are taken on record.

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Learned senior counsel for the applicant-petitioner has filed additional documents to substantiate the claim of the petitioner that she fulfills the eligibility conditions to claim admission to MBBS/BDS course 2021-22 under the NRI category. Further, she is also entitled to the relaxation/exemption granted vide notification dated 03.03.2021 issued by the Ministry of Finance, Government of India (Annexure P-31). Apparently, this issue requires to be considered by the competent authority.

Learned Additional Advocate General, Punjab fairly submits that in case the petitioner files the aforesaid documents alongwith an application before the Principal Secretary, Department of Medical Education & Research, Government of Punjab, he shall consider the matter afresh in

the light of the additional documents as also the notification issued by the Central Government (ibid). And a decision in this regard shall be taken at the earliest, in accordance with law, preferably before the unfilled seats in the NRI category are released, provided such an application/representation is moved by the petitioner within a period of two days.

In the wake of the above and with the consent of learned counsel for the parties, the petition is accordingly disposed of.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking reasoned	✓Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No✓