

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CWP-13409-2022

Date of Decision: 04.07.2022

RACHNA

..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

..... Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Rajat Mor, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer in this writ petition is for issuance of direction to the respondents to grant the benefit of maternity leave of 180 days with pay/salary alongwith arrears to the petitioner in view of relevant applicable provisions.

Learned counsel for the State, to whom an advance copy of paper book has been supplied, submits that this writ petition is rendered infructuous as the competent authority has approved maternity leave up to 180 days to the petitioner. Copy of memo dated 29.06.2022 from the Director General, Technical Education Department, Haryana, Panchkula to the Principal(s) Government Polytechnic, Mandi Adampur/Hathnikund (Yamunanagar)/Nanakpur (Panchkula)/Mandkola (Palwal)/Chappar (Charkhi Dadri)/Jamalpur Shekhon/Malab (Nuh) has been furnished in Court today, wherein it is stated that competent authority has approved maternity leave for all the petitioners in CWP-14721-2020 and that necessary action for release of remuneration be taken. Present petitioner was admittedly one of the petitioners in CWP-14721-2020. Learned counsel for the State further informs that requisite benefits shall be released to the petitioner within four weeks from today.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances and the specific stand of respondents as stated above, this writ petition is indeed rendered infructuous and is disposed of accordingly. Needless to say it is expected that necessary action shall be taken as set forth before this Court.

04.07.2022
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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

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