

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

**CWP-15478-2014 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 27.09.2022**

Dr. R.D. Anand (Rishi Dev Anand)

.....Petitioner

Versus

Panjab University, Chandigarh and another

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI,**

Present : None for the petitioner.

Ms. Alka Chatrath, Advocate,
for the respondent-University.

Mr. Shobit Phutela, Advocate,
for the respondent-Union of India.

RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral):

Learned counsel for the respondent-University submits that in spite of dismissal of the writ petition filed by the similarly situated persons, i.e. CWP-1365-2012, on February 03, 2012, the Syndicate of the Panjab University had passed a resolution on 04.11.2012, and forwarded the same to the Central Government for approval, in terms of the University calendar. She further submits that the issue involved in CWP-9126-2016, which was disposed of, vide order dated 28.04.2022, was with regard to grant of benefit of pension to those persons who had not opted for the Pension Scheme, whereas, the present petition is with regard to grant of family pension to widows/widowers/legal heirs of the deceased employees.

Be that as it may, as neither the petitioner nor anyone on his behalf is present to pursue the matter, the Court is choice-less, but to dismiss the writ petition for non-prosecution.

Dismissed for non-prosecution.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

27.09.2022

AK Sharma

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No