

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

CWP-16230-2015
Date of Decision: 27.07.2022

Dr. D.P.Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present : None for the petitioner.

Mr. Vivek Singla, Advocate,
for the respondent.

RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of certiorari quashing the impugned order dated 15.07.2015 (Annexure P-8), whereby petitioner, who was working as Training and Placement Officer at IIT, Ropar on contract, has been relieved from services; and issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondent not to appoint another employee for this post on contract as advertised on 27.02.2015.

It is submitted by the learned counsel for the respondent that the petitioner had questioned the advertisement dated 27.02.2015 (Annexure P-3) issued by the respondent on the ground that the respondent was going to replace the petitioner with the similarly situated contractual employee. However, the said advertisement stands withdrawn. Secondly, the petitioner himself was a replacement candidate for another employee who had gone on

leave and was also working on contract basis. However, thereafter, there was no requirement of the post of Training and Placement Officer. Therefore, neither the earlier person had joined back nor the respondent had made any recruitment for the said post. Accordingly, he has submitted that the petition has been rendered as infructuous.

In view of the above, the present petition is dismissed as having been rendered as infructuous.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

27.07.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No