

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

CWP-16821-2022

Date of decision : 02.08.2022

S.N. Educational Charitable Trust and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra

....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. R.K. Malik, Senior Advocate, with
Mr. Sunil Hooda, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. A.S. Virk, Advocate,
for the respondent.

RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

This petition has been filed by the petitioners being aggrieved by an order/letter dated 11.07.2022 (Annexure P-6) issued by the respondent University stating that admission given to 16 students by the petitioner No.1 Institution in B.Ed. course during the session 2021-22 is not in accordance with the eligibility criteria and a penalty of Rs. 10,000/- per student has been imposed on the petitioner Institution.

Learned Senior counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioner Institution has, in fact, granted admission to the students in accordance with the eligibility criteria prescribed in the admission brochure. He submits that in case the authorities would have given an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner Institution, they would have

placed all the documents/material before the authorities to convince them that no action was required to be taken.

Learned counsel for the respondent University, on advance copy, submits that the authorities would re-consider the matter after affording personal hearing to the petitioner Institution and thereafter take a decision thereon in accordance with law expeditiously, and communicate the same to the petitioner Institution. He further submits that till such a decision is not taken by the respondent University, they shall not act upon the impugned order/letter dated 11.07.2022.

In view of the aforesaid statement of learned counsel for the respondent University, and in terms thereof, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petition is disposed of.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

August 02, 2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No