

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

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CWP-643-2021 (O&M).**Date of Decision: 26.02.2024.****ABHISHEK**

.. Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Mulwani, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Gopal Sharma, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

The present writ petition has been filed for seeking issuance of directions to the respondents to register the petitioner as Pharmacist.

Written statement dated 13.01.2023 on behalf of respondent No.2-Haryana State Pharmacy Council has been filed wherein it is averred that as per the documents submitted by the petitioner, he claimed to have passed his diploma in Pharmacy from Adarsh Vijendra Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (a constituent of Shobhit University, Uttar Pradesh) in the year 2017-2019. For verification of the certificate dated 03.09.2019 submitted by the petitioner, a letter was sent to the Registrar, Pharmacy Council of India for providing the list of students who passed diploma/degree from Shobhit University. On verification of the documents pertaining to the D-Pharmacy course of the petitioner, no response was received by the Haryana State Pharmacy Council despite submission of numerous reminders. The registration thus could not be done. A letter dated

10.05.2022 was eventually received from the Registrar of Shobhit University wherein it was informed that no diploma/degree course is being conducted in pharmacy by the University since 2012.

The Haryana State Pharmacy Council thereafter issued a Memo No.HSPC/2022/7913 dated 05.12.2022 to the petitioner to reply to the same and to appear before the Haryana State Pharmacy Council but the petitioner chose not to appear.

Even though the above reply was filed on 13.01.2023, and a copy thereof had been furnished to the counsel for the petitioner who prayed for some time to go through the same, however, no replication/rejoinder has been filed.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has also chosen not to put in appearance since thereafter. The stand of respondent No.2-Haryana State Pharmacy Council, thus, remains uncontroverted that the petitioner submitted forged documents for seeking enrollment with the Haryana State Pharmacy Council.

The present writ petition is accordingly dismissed at this stage.

Liberty is, however, granted to the Haryana State Pharmacy Council to initiate appropriate proceedings against the petitioner, if so advised, for seeking registration on the strength of certificates known to the petitioner to be forged and fabricated

Pending, misc. application(s), if any shall also stand(s) disposed of accordingly.

February 26, 2024
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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