

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

(107)

CWP-PIL-3-2023

Decided on : 22.02.2024

Dharmender Kumar

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana & others

.....Respondent(s)

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA,
ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MS.JUSTICE LAPITA BANERJI**

Present:- Mr.Shalender Mohan, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. AG, Haryana.

G.S. Sandhawalia, ACJ (Oral)

1. The present writ petition, filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeks directions to respondents No.1 to 4 to take action against respondents No.5 to 7 who have given illegal admission in State Institute of Advance Studies in Teacher Education (SIASTE), DIET at Gurugram and at SIASTE, DIET at Kurukshetra to run B.A.B.Ed./ B.Sc/B.Ed. courses for the session 2022-23 without having recognition and to discontinue/stop the illegal admission process in future in respondents No.8 & 9 in SIASTE, DIET at Gurugram Gurugram and SIASTE, DIET at Kurukshetra. Further prayer has been made to decide the representations dated 28.09.2022 and 24.09.2022 (Annexures P-9 to P-11).

2. After arguing for some time, counsel for the petitioner could not convince us that as to on what factual basis he is seeking the relief as mere reliance has been placed upon public notice dated 22.05.2021 (Annexure P-1) without giving the details of the 52nd General Body Meeting of the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) on the basis of which the relief is being claimed against respondents No.5 to 9 on the ground that they do not have the recognition.

3. Similarly, reliance upon the RTI information received on 21.06.2022 (Annexure P-8) to show that both the institutes are not recognized by the Northern Regional Committee of NCTE does not throw any light as to which of the institutes are not recognized. The information which has been sought under the RTI has also not been appended. In such circumstances, in the absence of any relevant material on record, we are not inclined to entertain the present writ petition which is in the nature of Public Interest Litigation.

4. Resultantly, in view of the above discussion, the present writ petition is hereby dismissed.

(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

February 22nd, 2024
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(LAPITA BANERJI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	
Whether Reportable :		No