



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

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CWP-5747-2003 (O&M)

Date of decision: 05.05.2025

Veerpal Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Gaurav Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Manipal Singh Atwal, DAG Punjab

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer made in the present petition is for quashing of the impugned memo dated 04.04.2003, whereby the services of the petitioner were terminated.
2. This Court had stayed the said order initially, however, vide the detailed order dated 18.01.2006, the same vacated, operative portion whereof reads thus:

“Having heard learned counsel for the parties and pursuing the order Annexure R-2, which is a new material placed on record, I am of the considered view that no stay order deserve to be granted to the petitioner as there is no prima facie case in her favour. The Mahila Gram Vidyapeeth Prayag Allahabad, has been found to be a fake institution and naturally the degrees/certificates awarded by such an institution would be regarded as fake. If the petitioner has been tricked by a fake University for the issuance of certificate then it cannot be argued that she is not at fault. Therefore, the order dated 29.07.2003 is recalled staying termination of the petitioner.”

3. Learned State counsel states that it is on the directions of this Court that a Committee had been constituted and verified the documents of the petitioner



and many other similarly situated candidates, all of whom came to be terminated from service, whose certificates were found from to be issued by a fake institution and in **State of Himachal Pradesh and Others vs. Hem Prabha**, Law Finder Doc Id 2571401, decided on 11.04.2023, Hon’ble the Supreme Court has held such action to be justified.

4. Petition dismissed.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

05.05.2025

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