



126 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

LPA-2607-2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 29.08.2025

GAURAV SOROT ... APPELLANT
VS.
STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS .. RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ROHIT KAPOOR

Present: Mr. Nitin Jain, Advocate and
Ms. Vanshika Sharma, Advocate,
for the appellant.

ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA, J. (ORAL)

1. The claim of the petitioner has been dismissed by the learned Single Judge. The learned Single Judge has relied upon the judgment of this Court rendered in CWP-2171-2025 titled as 'Rashmi Gera and others Vs. State of Haryana and others', decided on 28.01.2025. It has also been observed by the learned Single Judge that this judgment of learned Single Judge has been upheld by the Division Bench in LPA-519-2025, decided on 19.02.2025.

2. Learned counsel for the appellant contends that vide dismissing the appeal, the Division Bench has made following observations in para 6 of the judgment passed in LPA-519-2025 which is reproduced as under:-

“6. However, it goes without saying that if the appellants acquire the qualification as required under the UGC Regulations, it would be always open to the State or the respective colleges to employ them as Extension Lecturers as and when the posts are available.”

3. Mr. Puneet Gupta, Addl. A.G.Haryana, has appeared on advance notice.
4. We have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record.
5. Learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the issue involved in the present appeal is identical with LPA-519-2025 and the present appeal be disposed of in terms of the order passed in LPA-519-2025.
6. Accordingly, we modify the order of learned Single Judge and provide that the benefit of para 6 of the judgment dated 19.02.2025 passed in LPA-519-2025 shall also be available to the present appellant.
7. Appeal stands disposed of in aforesaid terms.
8. Pending application(s), if any, also stand(s) disposed of.

(ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA)
JUDGE

(ROHIT KAPOOR)
JUDGE

29.08.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned	: Yes/No
Whether Reportable	: Yes/No