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

**CWP-9772-2025
DECIDED ON: 15.09.2025**

RAJNI SHARMA

.....PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. H.S. Saini, Advocate for the petitioner(s).
(through Hybrid Mode)

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

This writ petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of an appropriate Writ, Order, direction, especially Writ in the nature of Certiorari quashing the Advertisement (Annexure P-2) wherein the post of PRT in all subjects has been advertised on fixed term/contract basis again and declaring the action of the respondents in replacing the petitioner with another contractual employee to be illegal and arbitrary and against law since the petitioner was going to be relieved on 28.02.2025 as per the appointment letter dated 30.03.2024 (Annexure P-1), however, she worked till 24.03.2025 and also writ in the nature of certiorari quashing the action of the respondents in terminating the services of the petitioner w.e.f. 24.03.2025.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prays for withdrawal of the present petition in view of the admitted position that the same is not maintainable under writ jurisdiction, as respondent No.2 does not fall within the definition of ‘State’ as contemplated under Article 12 of the Constitution of India

Allowed as prayed for.

Petition stands dismissed as withdrawn with liberty to take alternate remedy available as per law.

15.09.2025
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(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

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Yes/No

Yes/No