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CWP-34736-2025

Date of Decision : December 22, 2025

GAURAV RIKHI AND OTHERS

.....Petitioners

VERSUS

THE STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA

Present : Mr. Jagbir Malik, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Satnam Preet Singh Chauhan, DAG, Punjab.
Mr. Sardavinder Goyal, Advocate
for the applicant in CM-19190-CWP-2025.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

Main case

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioners have challenged the notice dated 14.11.2025 (Annexure P-3) issued by respondent No.2 to an extent that the cases of Head Masters are not been considered for promotion on the post of Principal. In pursuance of the abovesaid notice dated 14.11.2025 only Lecturers and Vocational Lecturers are held to be entitled for consideration for promotion on the post of Principal.

2. The learned State counsel on instructions from Mr. Shashi Gagg, Asstt. Registrar Legal, Department of Education, Punjab submits that infact the Department has taken decision not to proceed with the earlier DPC held for the purpose of promotion on the post of Principal in terms of the notice dated 14.11.2025. He further submits that now a fresh DPC will be held and

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as per the fresh seniority list of Head Masters, their cases will also be considered for promotion on the post of Principal in accordance with law.

3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners on instructions from the petitioners submits that in light of the statement of the learned State counsel the present writ petition has been rendered infructuous.

4. In view of the abovesaid submissions, the present writ petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

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5. In light of the order passed in the main case today, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the applicant does not want to press the present application.

6. Dismissed as not pressed.

(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)
JUDGE

December 22, 2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No

Whether Reportable. : Yes/No