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

**CWP-11920-2021(O&M)
Date of decision : 24.02.2026**

Dr. Ravi Nagpal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH
NALWA**

Present: Mr. Kapil Kakkar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. N.P.S. Hira, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajdeep Singh Cheema, Advocate for respondents
No.3 and 4.

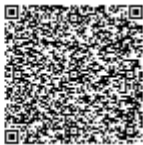
Mr. Samarth Sagar, Advocate for respondent No.5.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing selection proceedings dated 10.04.2017 vide which respondent No.5 was selected and appointed on the post of Assistant Professor in Punjabi.

2. Learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the dispute being inter se the Management and the employee-petitioner, falls within the jurisdiction of the Educational Tribunal in terms of Section 7-A of the Punjab Affiliated Colleges (Security of Service) Act, 1974, therefore, the same may be transferred to the Tribunal for adjudication.

3. In view of the above and without commenting on merits of the case, the present petition is ordered to be transferred to the



Educational Tribunal having the jurisdiction. Parties are directed to appear before it on 05.05.2026. Registry is directed to send the record of this case to the Tribunal forthwith.

- 4. Accordingly, the present writ petition is disposed of.
- 5. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand(s) disposed of.

24.02.2026	(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)	
<i>d.gulati</i>	JUDGE	
Whether speaking / reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No