



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

LPA-974-2026 (O&M)
Date of Decision:09.04.2026

SANDEEP

.....APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENT(S)

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

Present: Ms. Tejaswini, Advocate and
Mr. Nishant Khatri, Advocate
for the appellant.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Addl., AG, Haryana.

Mr. Amit Rao, Advocate
for respondent No.3.

ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA, J. (Oral)

1. This appeal arises out of a judgment rendered by the learned Single Judge in CWP-18124-2024 dated 12.12.2025, whereby the prayer for declaration of the result for the post of Assistant Professor, Department of Product Design, Faculty of Design under the General Category has been declined on the ground that the advertisement itself has been withdrawn. Along with the instant appeal, additional documents have been placed on record indicating that seven persons from the same advertisement have actually been appointed.

2. It is contended by the learned counsel for the appellant that the decision to selectively withdraw certain posts from the same advertisement for recruitment is arbitrary.

3. The argument advanced before us was not raised before the learned Single Judge.

4. Learned counsel for the appellant, however, states that it was on the application of the respondent-University that the order was passed without affording any opportunity to the appellant to raise these issues. It is also submitted that the respondent-University had not correctly placed the facts before the Writ Court, inasmuch as there was no challenge to the advertisement and the limited prayer was to declare the result.

5. Since these issues are sought to be raised for the first time in this appeal, we are of the view that the appropriate course for the appellant would be to go back to the learned Single Judge and place all materials, as are sought to be relied upon before us.

6. Leaving it open for the appellant to do the same, the instant appeal is ***disposed of***.

7. All pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

[ASHWANI KUMAR MISHRA]
JUDGE

[ROHIT KAPOOR]
JUDGE

APRIL 09, 2026
Rahul Joshi

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| 1. Whether Speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether Reportable | Yes/No |