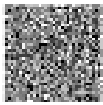


IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2026.PHHC.002906



1. COCP-1455-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision: 13.01.2026

RAVINDER SINGH AND ORS ..Petitioners

Versus

ANAND SHARMA ..Respondent

2. COCP-1460-2021 (O&M)

NEERAJ SINGH AND ORS ..Petitioners

Versus

ANAND SHARMA ..Respondent

3. COCP-1462-2021 (O&M)

SOHAN SINGH AND ORS ..Petitioners

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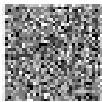
CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUDEEPTI SHARMA

Present: Mr. Harsh Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Nitin Kaushal, Advocate
for respondent(s).

SUDEEPTI SHARMA, J. (Oral)

1. With the consent of learned counsel for the parties, a bunch of three contempt petitions shall stand decided vide this common order.
2. The contempt petitions have been filed for deliberate and intentional disobedience of order dated 08.04.2021 passed in CWP-16011-2019 in COCP-1455-2021, CWP-29392-2019 in COCP-1460-2021 and CWP-27574-2019 in COCP-1462-2021, whereby, direction was issued to the competent authority to reconsider the grant of scholarship to the petitioners.



3. In compliance of order dated 08.04.2021, affidavit of Mr. Amit Vishwas Rao Yashwant Salunkhe, Regional Coordinator, North Western Region, AICTE Headquarter, New Delhi, dated 18.11.2025 has been filed, which is taken on record. Along with the compliance affidavit, speaking order dated 27.11.2025 is attached as Annexure R-1, which shows the compliance, whereby, AICTE has decided to release the scholarship to the petitioners.
4. Learned counsel for respondent contends that for release of scholarship, there is requirement of certain documents, which the petitioners have now provided to the respondents. He further contends that after verifying the same, the amount would be released to the petitioners within a period of two weeks from today.
5. In view of the same, the contempt is purged and rule is discharged.
6. Liberty is, however, granted to the petitioners to revive the contempt petitions in case the amount is not disbursed in the account of petitioners within a period of two weeks.
7. It is made clear that if the petitioners revive the present contempt petitions because of the lapse on the part of respondent(s) to disburse the amount of scholarship in their accounts, the respondent(s) would be liable to pay cost of Rs.2,00,000/- to each of the petitioners in each petition for forcing them to approach this Court again.
8. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

January 13th, 2026

**(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)
JUDGE**

Ayub/Saahil

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether reportable : *Yes/No*