



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

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CWP-17518-2026

Date of decision: 27.05.2026

Rajeev Kumar and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. R.K. Arora, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Prabhat K. Jalbera, Advocate,
Mr. J.S. Bhogal, Advocate and
Mr. Shivam Ahuja, Advocate for the petitioners.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioners under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of certiorari, for quashing the order dated 15.04.2026 (Annexure P-16), whereby the prayer of the petitioners for correcting their seniority in the seniority list, issued vide order dated 13.11.2025 (Annexure P-10) in terms of their objections on the basis of their retrospective promotion, vide orders dated 09.07.2025 (Annexure P-7) and dated 11.07.2025 (Annexure P-8) with effect from 21.07.2022 and 09.09.2024 respectively, has been declined, while recording wrong date of promotion of the petitioners on the post of Lecturer as 05.08.2025. Further, a writ of mandamus has been sought for directing the respondents to correct the seniority of the petitioners in the seniority list dated 13.11.2025 (Annexure P-10), and grant them all consequential benefits including further promotion to from the post of Lecturers to

Principal/PES Cadre.

2. After arguing the case for some time, learned assisting counsel for the petitioners wishes to withdraw the present petition with liberty to file a fresh one on the same cause of action with better particulars by impleading the necessary parties as respondents.
3. Dismissed as withdrawn with aforesaid liberty.

27.05.2026

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No