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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ **W.P.(C) 2333/2025**

ANUP KUMAR

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Saurabh Kamal, Mr. Shantanu
Sharma and Mr. Raghav Vij,
Advocates

versus

UNIVERSITY GRANT COMMISSION & ANR.Respondents

Through: Ms. Rashmi Singhania, Advocate for
R-2 (VC)

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SHARMA

ORDER

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12.03.2025

CM APPL. 11006/2025 (exemption)

Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

The application stands disposed of.

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The present petition has been filed with the following prayers:-

“a) Striking down the notices dated 14.05.2024 and 26.12.2024 issued by the Respondent No. 2 and the Public Notice dated 27.03.2024 issued by the Respondent No.1 and thereby directing the Respondents to reconsider the eligibility of the deprived candidates, particularly the Petitioner, who has passed the UGC-NET prior to the new regulation and Notices by the Respondents.

b) Directing the Respondents to consider the marks obtained by the Petitioner in UGC-NET for eligibility of Assistant professor held on 27.12.2015 for the purpose of the admission to the Ph.D. Programme for academic year 2024-25.



c) Issuing guidelines to the Respondents for the admission to the Ph.D. Programme for academic year 2024-25 of the candidates, particularly for the Petitioner who has passed the UGC-NET prior to the new regulation and Notices by the Respondents and has been deprived of the admission.

d) As this Hon'ble Court may deem fit in the facts and circumstances of the case."

Issue notice. Ms. Rashmi Singhania, learned counsel, accepts the notice on behalf of the respondent no. 2.

Let notice be issued to the respondent no. 1 through all permissible modes on steps to be taken by the petitioner, returnable on 08.05.2025.

Let respondent no. 2 file the counter affidavit within four weeks with an advance copy supplied to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

DINESH KUMAR SHARMA, J

MARCH 12, 2025

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