

Pankaj Pathak vs. State of H.P. & Ors.

**CWP No.10725 of 2026.**

02.07.2026 Present: Mr. M.A. Safee, Mr. Pranav Kaushal and Mr. Sameer Miyan, Advocates, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rahul Thakur, Deputy Advocate General, for respondents No.1 to 4-State.

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Notice. Mr. Rahul Thakur, learned Deputy Advocate General appears and waives service of notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4.

Notice be issued to private respondents No.5 to 9, returnable for 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2026. Steps for service be taken within a week.

In the meantime, reply be filed by the respondents-State.

List along with CWP No. 9745 of 2026.

**CMP No. 15773 of 2026.**

Notice in the aforesaid terms.

Till further orders, the operation of promotion order dated 31.03.2026, Annexure P-7 is hereby stayed.

**(Ajay Mohan Goel)**  
**Judge**

**2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2026.**  
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