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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-9287-2026

Date of Decision : 21.04.2026

Dr. Virendra Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Karan Bhardwaj, Advocate and
Mr. Ishaan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Tanushree Gupta, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Harmanjot Singh Gill, Advocate for respondent no.4.

Mr. G.C. Shahpuri, Advocate and
Mr. Lokesh Shivansh, Advocate and
Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Advocate for respondent no.7.

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA, J. (ORAL)

The petition has been filed, *inter alia*, seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to appoint the petitioner as officiating Principal in accordance with seniority.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner's representation, dated 19.03.2026, Annexure P-11, has been rejected by respondent no.4/University by passing a speaking order, dated 20.04.2026.

3. In view thereof, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the petition to challenge the said order.

4. Ordered accordingly.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

April 21, 2026

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