



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

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COCP No.2721 of 2025 (O & M)**Date of decision :-15.09.2025****Anita Chaudhary****.....Petitioner****Versus****Sh. Pankaj Aggarwal, Principal Chief Secretary, Haryana,
Department of Education, Haryana Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh
and another****.....Respondents****CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA**

Present:- Mr. Yash Kaushik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Naveen Kumar, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

NIDHI GUPTA J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondents for not complying the order dated 05.8.2024 (Annexure P-1) passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in CWP-2792-2023 titled as “Anita Chaudhary vs. State of Haryana and others” vide which the petition was disposed of in terms of the judgment dated 08.7.2024 passed by the co-ordinate Bench of this Court in CWP-19105-2021 titled as “Roshan Lal Garg vs. State of Haryana and others” whereby the petition was disposed of with the following observation :-

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9. *The facts of the present case suggest that it has not been disputed by the respondent-*



department that son of the petitioner was taken to the aforesaid hospital in an emergency condition which is also supported by a certificate issued by the aforesaid hospital and also by the Civil Surgeon, Gurugram. Whenever a patient is suffering from an emergency condition then the entire focus is always on saving the life of the patient and in case there is some pain then the focus is also to relieve the pain. It would be inhuman to say that whenever such like emergency situation arises then an employee should keep on searching the list of approved hospitals and should first go to an approved hospital or a government hospital by ignoring the developing pain and at the risk of life. It would be not only perverse but it will also be violative of Right to Life guaranteed under Article 21 of the Constitution of India.

10. In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the present case, present petition is allowed. The respondents are directed to pay full medical reimbursement of Rs.75,037/- to the petitioner after deducting the amount already paid to the petitioner within a period of three months from today.”

Learned counsel for the respondents, on instructions, submits that for the Liver Transplant Surgery of the husband of the petitioner, the petitioner had claimed Rs.25,22,686/- as medical reimbursement, of which an amount of Rs.10,07,652/- already stood sanctioned. It is submitted that now vide order dated 12.9.2025 the remaining amount of Rs.14,35,704/- also stands sanctioned for the



period of treatment from 27.10.2021 to 12.11.2021 and therefore, no more grievance of the petitioner survives.

Copy of the aforesaid order dated 12.9.2025 passed by the Special Secretary to Govt. Haryana, School Education Department, Panchkula, produced by the learned counsel for the respondents-State is taken on record. Copy thereof is supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner. Registry to tag/paginate the same at appropriate place in the paper-book.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to dispute the submission of learned counsel for the respondents and submits that the present contempt petition may be disposed of accordingly.

In view of the facts noted above, no further orders are required to be passed in the present petition, the same is **disposed of** accordingly.

Rule stands discharged.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stands disposed of.

September 15, 2025

Vijay Asija

(**NIDHI GUPTA**)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No