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Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh.
Dated: Shimla-171001 the, August, 2026

ORDER

Whereas the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh vide judgment dated 07.01.2026 in CWP No. 502/2026 Priya Atri Vs State of HP & others directed that:-

"Having regard to the afore-submissions, but without examining the merits of the matters, these writ petitions are disposed of with a direction to the respondents/competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representations of the petitioners (Annexure P-2) in accordance with law as well as taking into consideration the above judgment in the case of Mohit Sharma within a period of six weeks from today. The decision so arrived at shall also be communicated to the petitioners. The writ petitions stand disposed of in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any."

And whereas petitioner was appointed as Lecturer (School-New) English on contract in the year 2021 and her services was regularized in the year 2023. As per Finance Department letter No. Fin-(PR)B(7)-1/2021-loose dated 04.04.2026, it was decided that the an employee appointed on a contract basis on or before 03.01.2022 shall receive the benefit of Rule 7 (A) only after completion of two years of regular service.

Now therefore, in compliance to the order of Hon'ble High Court in Ex. Pet. No. 626/2026 in CWP No. 502 of 2026 titled as Priya Atri Vs State of HP & others, the petitioner is allowed Rs. 47000/- after two years of regular service. The Principal/DDO concerned school is hereby directed to fix the pay of petitioners and release the arrears as per

Finance Department instructions issued from time to time and compliance report be sent to this Directorate immediately, the entry be also made in the service book of the individual concerned.

May inform parties accordingly.

Director School Education
Himachal Pradesh

Regd.

1. Smt. Priya Atri Lecturer (School - New) English,
   GSSS Ramnagar Nakroh District Una HP.

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Superintendent Legal Cell (Secondary) Directorate of School Education w.r.t. in Ex. Pet. No. 626/2026 in CWP No. 502 of 2026 titled as Priya Atri Vs State of HP & others.
2. The Deputy Director School Education (Secondary) District Una H.P.
3. The Principal/DDO concerned Schools with the direction to ensure that the petitioners were appointed before 03.01.2022.
4. The In-charge IT Cell to upload the same on departmental website.
5. Guard File.

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