

No.EDN(SE)-H(3)B(6)CWP No: 2171/23-Hem Raj (III)
Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh, Lalpani, Shimla-1

Dated: Shimla-171001 the May, 2026

ORDER

Whereas, the petitioners in CWP No. 20860 of 2025 titled as Pankaj Kumar versus State of HP, CWP No. 20870 of 2025 titled as Suman Devi vs. State of HP, CWP No. 20874 of 2025 titled as Manohar Lal vs. State of HP, CWP No. 20878 of 2025 titled as Gaurav Sharma vs. State of HP, CWP No.20778 of 2025 titled as Hareesh Kumar vs. State of HP and others have approached the Hon'ble High Court of HP for seeking relief in terms of judgment passed by the Hon'ble court in CWP No. 2171 of 2023 -Hem Raj vs. State of HP a/w connected matter decided on 04.09.2023.

Whereas, the Hon'ble High Court has disposed of these court cases with the direction to the respondents/competent authority to consider and decide the pending representation (Annexure P-3) of the petitioners. Operative part of the judgment dated 01.01.2026 in CWP No. 20860 of 2025 titled as Pankaj Kumar, CWP No. 20870 of 2025 titled as Suman Devi, CWP No. 20874 of 2025 titled as manohar Lal, CWP No. 20878 of 2025 titled as Gaurav Sharma are as under: -

4. *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-3) in accordance with law as well as taking into consideration the above judgment in the case of Hem Raj² 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.*

Operative part of the judgment dated 30.12.2025 in CWP No. 20778 of 2025 titled as Hareesh Kumar is as under:-

4. *Having regard to the afore-submissions, but without examining the merits of the matter, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents/ competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representation of the petitioner dated 27.11.2025 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law as well as taking into consideration the above judgment in the case of Hem Raj² within a period of six weeks from today. The decision so arrived at shall also be communicated to the petitioner. The writ petition stands disposed of in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any.*

In compliance to the judgment passed by the Hon'ble High Court in above cases the representations (Annexure P-3) of the petitioners have been examined taking into consideration the Notification of the Government issued vide No. EDC-B(15)15/2011 dated 20-08-2022 which says, "all Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) qualified and Teacher Eligibility Test (TET) passed Shastris and Language Teachers(LTs) are to be designated as Trained Graduate Teachers (Sanskrit) and Trained Graduate Teachers (Hindi) in their respective pay scale structure." Therefore, no financial benefits were granted to these categories, and merely their nomenclature was changed to TGT (Sanskrit) and TGT (Hindi) and that too for only those Shastri/Language Teachers who are B.Ed. qualified and TET pass.

Whereas, the matter of Sh. Hem Raj & others has already been examined at Govt. level in compliance to the judgment passed by the Hon'ble High Court in CWP No. 2171/2023 titled as Hem Raj vs. State of HP, CWP No. 8389/2023 to 8398 of 2023 alongwith all others connected matters and Execution Petition No. 168 & 170 of 2024 and thereafter the Govt. has passed detailed speaking orders on 20.05.2024 and subsequently addendum on 17.09.2024. Operative part of speaking order is as under:-

Thus, after considering the whole matter, I am of considered view that such re-designated TGTs (Sanskrit/Hindi) are entitled to be considered for promotion as Lecturers/Headmasters and thus they are considered for the same. However, tenure or service of such re-designated Sanskrit/Hindi Teachers as TGT shall be considered from the date of their re-

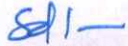
designation as TGTs which in this case, is the date of notification dated 20-08-2022. It is pertinent to mention that as per the R&P Rules for the post of Lecturer (School-New) and Headmaster, there is specified period of minimum length of service as TGT (5/8 years) for a candidate to become eligible for promotion. Thus, these teachers shall become eligible for promotion only after completion of required length of service which is to be counted w.e.f. 20.08.2022, subject to the final outcome of LPA No. 86/2024 (State Vs. Hem Raj)”

Whereas, order passed by the Hon'ble High Court in CWP No. 2171/2023- Hem Raj has been assailed by the Department by way of filing the LPA No. 86/2024 titled as State of HP versus Hem Raj. Now the Hon'ble High Court has stayed the judgment passed in CWP No. 2171/2023 titled as Hem Raj & Others on 17.10.2025. Operative part of the judgment passed by Hon'ble Court in LPA No. 86 of 2024 is under: -

“We stay the operation of judgment dated 04.09.2023 passed in CWP No.2171 of 2023 titled as Hem Raj and others vs. State of H.P and others to this extent, subject to completion of service”.

Whereas, the relief sought by the petitioner(s) is directly dependent upon the judgment dated 04.09.2023 in CWP No. 2171/2023, which is presently under stay by the Hon'ble High Court in LPA No. 86 of 2024 vide order dated 17.10.2025.

Therefore, after considering the whole matter, the claim of the petitioner in above court cases cannot be considered at this stage and shall be decided only after the final outcome of LPA No. 86 of 2024, hence, representation of the petitioners is decided accordingly. Inform all the concerned accordingly.

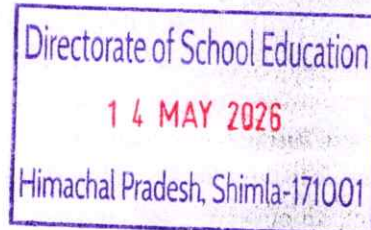

**Director of School Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1
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1. The District Attorney, Directorate of School Education H.P. Shimla-01 w.r.t. CWP ibid.
2. The Dy. Directors of School Education (Elementary) **Solan/Shimla/Bilaspur/Kangra** H.P.
3. Sh. Hareesh Kumar S/o Sh. Kailash Chand Vill. Kothi PO Navagaon, Tehsil Arki Distt. Solan, Posted at GHS Rouri Tehsil Arki Distt. Solan, HP.
4. Sh. Pankaj Kumar s/o Sh. Kuldeep Village Patta, PO Jainagar Tehsil Arki Distt. Solan HP presently posted at GSSS Bani Materni tehsil Arki Distt. Solan H.P.
5. Smt. Suman Devi w/o Sh. Laiq Ram Village Gadli PO Bharana Tehsil Theog Distt. Shimla presently posted TGT Sanskrit at GSSS Mailon Tehsil Theog Distt. Shimla (HP).
6. Sh. Manohar Lal S/o Sh. Ram Lal Village Chandpur PO Shikroha Tehsil Sadar, Distt. Bilaspur presently posted TGT Sanskrit at GSSS Ranikotla Tehsil Sadar Distt. Bilaspur (HP).
7. Sh. Gaurav Sharma S/o Sh. Kishori Lal Village Nargroo PO Hatli Tehsil Bangana Distt. Una presently posted TGT Sanskrit at GHS Punani u/c Saleti Tehsil Rakkar Distt. Kangra (HP).
8. The Nodal Officer, IT Cell, Dte. of School Edu. H.P. to upload the same on official website.
9. Guard file.




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