

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH,  
SHIMLA.**

**CWP No. 1321/2015**

**Decided on: 30.4.2015**

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Krishan S. Verma.

...Petitioner.

Versus

State of H.P.

...Respondent.

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**Coram:**

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajiv Sharma, Judge**

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Tarlok Singh Chauhan, Judge**

**Whether approved for reporting? <sup>1</sup>**

**For the Petitioner : Mr. J.L. Bhardwaj, Advcoate.**

**For the Respondent: Mr. M.A. Khan and Mr. Anup Rattan,  
Addl. A.Gs. with Mr. P.M. Negi, Dy. A.G.  
and Mr. Ramesh Thakur, Asstt. A.G.**

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**Per Justice Rajiv Sharma, Judge (oral).**

Petitioner joined his duties as Assistant District Attorney in Palampur pursuant to order dated 18.12.2013. He is aggrieved by the issuance of office order dated 21.1.2015 whereby he has been transferred from Palampur to Dharamshala without permitting him to complete his normal tenure at Palampur. The reason

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<sup>1</sup> Whether reporters of the local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?

assigned for his transfer is that the Bar Association, Palampur has passed a resolution. Petitioner is holding a very sensitive post. He could not be transferred on the basis of resolution passed by the Bar Association, Palampur. The transfer orders are required to be made in larger public interest and taking into consideration the exigency of service.

2. Accordingly, the writ petition is allowed. Annexure P-1 dated 21.1.2015, qua the petitioner, is quashed and set aside. Pending application(s), if any, also stands disposed of. No costs.

**(Justice Rajiv Sharma)**  
**Judge**

**(Justice Tarlok Singh)**  
**Judge**

30.4.2015

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