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HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA AT SHILLONG

WP(C) No. 465 of 2019

Date of order: 23.10.2019

Kwan Wanniang Vs. North Eastern Hills University (NEHU) & Ors.

Coram:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ajay Kumar Mittal, Chief Justice

Appearance:

For the Petitioner/Appellant(s): Mr. R. Kar, Adv.

For the Respondent(s) : Mr. S. Sen, Adv.

i) Whether approved for reporting in Yes/No

Law journals etc.:

ii) Whether approved for publication Yes/No

in press:

- 1. The petitioner has approached this Court under Article 226 of the Constitution of India impugning order dated 28.08.2019 whereby his representation seeking regularisation of his service (Annexure-8) has been rejected. A prayer has been made for a direction to the respondents to frame a scheme for regularisation as per the decision in *Umadevi's case* granting service benefits to the petitioners.
- 2. Learned counsel Mr. S. Sen has put in appearance on behalf of the respondent-University and submitted that number of petitioners had filed WP(C) 113 (SH) of 2011 which was dismissed on 03.05.2013 for claiming the same relief of regularisation. Learned counsel urged that the petitioner had earlier approached this Court in WP(C) No. 353 of 2018 (Annexure-3) which was dismissed on 26.02.2019 and, therefore, the present petition is not maintainable.
- 3. Learned counsel for the petitioner was unable to satisfy the Court that the relief which is being claimed now was not available to the petitioner when he had filed the earlier petition WP(C) No. 353 of 2018 which was rejected on 26.02.2019. Thus, in view of the above, no right survives in the petitioner to file this petition and approach this Court again.

4. Accordingly, I find no merit in the writ petition and the same is dismissed.

(Ajay Kumar Mittal) Chief Justice

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