

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

**Civil Writ Petition No. 18166 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 01.08.2018**

Dr. Samrat Vikram Sahgal

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Ranjit Singh Ghuman, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mrs. Anu Chatrath Kapur, Additional Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondents/State and **assisted by**
Mr. Ajay Sharma, Sr. Assistant, O/o Directorate of Ayurveda, Chandigarh

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner (Dr. Samrat Vikram Sahgal) is stated to be completing his second year's extension in service in the rank of District Ayurvedic and Unani Officer, Jalandhar on 31.10.2018.

The grievance as set out in the petition is that vide impugned order dated 19.07.2018 (**Annexure P-15**), the petitioner has been transferred from his place of posting at Jalandhar to report at the Head Quarter at Chandigarh.

It is contended that such an action is totally motivated and at the instance/political influence of one Dr. Pritpal Singh, Ayurvedic Medical Officer (Retd.), who has become inimical on account of the petitioner having asked him about his previous misconduct during his service, while posting at the various Community Health Centres.

Upon notice, learned State Counsel, on instructions from Mr.

Ajay Sharma, Sr. Assistant, O/o Directorate of Ayurveda, Chandigarh,

submits that the transfer of the petitioner has been ordered on account of certain complaints *qua* which the discreet enquiries were made and the allegations found true.

At this stage, counsel for the petitioner, on instructions from his client, **prays for withdrawal** the present petition with liberty to pursue his remedy before the authorities concerned.

Dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

August 01, 2018

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>