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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 3rd March, 2020

Jagtar Singh & others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. H.C. Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Anil Kumar Sharma, Advocate
for respondents No.4 and 5.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners have approached this Court praying for issuance of a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to regularize their services as Up-vaids in the Ayurveda Department or in the alternative, under the National Rural Health Mission in the State Health Society, Punjab.

The said prayer of the petitioners, at this stage, cannot be accepted as no decision has been taken by the Government of Punjab to either take over the Scheme, under which the petitioners have been appointed nor has a policy decision been taken to absorb the employees appointed under the National Rural Health Mission. That apart, the Central Government also has no proposal for either terminating the services of the petitioners or for discontinuing with the Scheme.

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In view of the above facts, the prayer as made by the petitioners in the present writ petition cannot be accepted. The writ petition stands disposed of, at this stage, with above observations.

3rd March, 2020
Harish

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No