

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

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Civil Writ Petition No.23306 of 2015  
Date of Decision: February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Nachattar Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH**

Present: Mr. D.V. Mehta, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Ms. Devaki Anand Sullar, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

**AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)**

Learned counsel for the State submits that the request of the petitioner for voluntary retirement from the post of Agriculture Development Officer stands accepted by the competent authority on 03.09.2019. She further, on instructions from Mr. Harvinder Singh, Senior Assistant, office of Chief Agriculture Officer, Bathinda, states that the retiral benefits would be released to the petitioner, if already not released, within a period of three months.

In the light of the statement made by the counsel for the State, the present writ petition is disposed of as infructuous.

However, the respondents would be bound by the statement made by the counsel for the State on instructions.

**February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020**  
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**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)  
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No