

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

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**CWP No.18052 of 2020
Date of decision:30.10.2020**

VINOD KUMAR AND ANR

.....Petitioners

Vs

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

Present: Mr.Surinder Singh Duhan, Advocate
for the petitioners.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The case has been taken up for hearing through video-conferencing.

Petitioners have preferred this writ petition in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to fill the vacant post of Extension Lecturer (History) or in place of ineligible Extension Lecturer (History) working in the various Government colleges in the State of Haryana according to the guidelines dated 20.7.2017 issued by respondent No.1.

Petitioners claim themselves to be eligible and qualified as per Haryana Education (College Cadre) Group B Service Rules (Amended 2010). Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already represented before Director General, Higher Education i.e. respondent No.2 by way of legal notices dated 16.3.2020, but the same have not

been adverted to so far. Petitioners have also relied upon the decision rendered by the High Court in CWP No.16975 of 2014 titled as Rita Tandon vs. State of Haryana and others. Learned counsel further submits that even ineligible Extension Lecturers at various places are still working in P.G.Colleges due to the orders passed by the High Court in different writ petitions.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Ms.Deipa Singh, Addl.A.G., Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the State.

In view of nature of order, which this Court proposes to pass, there is no necessity of calling upon any response at this stage, as no order prejudicial to the interest of respondents is being passed.

In view of above, without meaning anything on the merits of the case, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the legal notices dated 16.3.2020 (Annexures P-4 and P-5) issued by the petitioners by passing a speaking order in accordance with law, preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

October 30, 2020

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Whether reasoned/speaking

**(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

Yes/No