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

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Date of Decision: 16.01.2025

Vikram Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

Haryana State Agricultural Marketing Board and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: - Mr. R.K. Malik, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Sandeep Dhull, Advocate and
Mr. Samrat Malik, Advocate for the petitioners

Mr. Pravindra Singh Chauhan, Advocate General, Haryana

Mr. B.R. Mahajan, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Advocate for the respondents

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners through instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India are seeking direction to respondents to regularize them in the light of policies dated 16.06.2014 (Annexure P-2) and 21.08.2014 (Annexure P-3).

2. Learned Senior counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioners are working with respondent since 2010. As per Haryana Contractual Employees (Security of Service) Act, 2024 which came into force w.e.f. 06.12.2024, an employee is entitled to be retained, if he/she has completed five years of service.

3. Mr. Pravindra Singh Chauhan, Advocate General, Haryana and Mr. B.R. Mahajan, Senior Advocate assisted by Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Advocate



for the respondents submit that claim of the petitioners would be considered in the light of afore-stated legislation.

4. Learned counsels for both sides are *ad idem* that validity of 2014 policy was challenged before this Court and now the matter is pending before the Supreme Court.

5. In the wake of statement of learned Senior counsel for the respondents, the present petition stands disposed of. Let the needful be done within 8 weeks from today.

6. As on date, the 2014 policy is not in force. It is hereby clarified that respondent would reconsider claim of the petitioners in the light of Supreme Court judgment on 2014 policy

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

16.01.2025
Mohit Kumar

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No