

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

CRWP No.1408 of 2015 (O&M)

Decided on: 9.10.2015.

Surinder @ Mohinder

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jitendra Chauhan

Present : Mr. B.S. Sewak, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG Punjab.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN.J.(ORAL)

By filing this criminal writ petition, under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India read with Section 482 Code of Criminal Procedure and Section 3(1)(c) of the Punjab Good Conduct Prisoners (Temporary Release) Act, 1962, the petitioner seeks his release on parole.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is entitled to be released on parole under Section 3(1)(c) of the Punjab Good Conduct Prisoners (Temporary Release) Act, 1962. It is contended that the parole was refused without recording any cogent reason. As per Annexure P2, communication from the Collector and District Magistrate, Ujjain to the Superintendent, District Jails, Nabha,

the parole was refused keeping in view the forthcoming elections in the city of Ujjain and preparation of Seehnrath-2016. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner will not visit the city of Ujjain during the parole period.

In view of the undertaking made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and the fact that it is reflected in the report of the learned District Magistrate, Ujjain that no cogent reason has been cited by the competent authority, the competent authority is directed to consider the case of the petitioner again in the light of statement made at bar by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Disposed of.

9.10.2015.
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE