

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

CRWP No.1641 of 2015
Date of Decision:09.12.2015

Surjit Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.S. Saron
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Amol Rattan Singh**

Present:Mr. Mohit Garg, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Arshvinder Singh, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab

S.S. Saron, J.

Learned State counsel has filed reply by way of an affidavit of Sh. Hardeep Singh, PPS, Superintendent, District Jail, Sangrur, on behalf of the respondents. The same is taken on record.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

This criminal writ petition has been filed seeking extension of parole granted to the petitioner vide order dated 23.10.2015, as he is suffering from 'Lipoma' (type of cancer) and needs immediate surgery.

The petitioner is undergoing life imprisonment, in case FIR No.58, dated 13.04.2013, registered at Police Station Payal, District Ludhiana, under Section 302 of the Indian Penal Code ("the IPC" for short). He was convicted by the learned

Sessions Judge, Ludhiana on 06.05.2015 and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for life; besides pay a fine of Rs.10,000/- and in default thereof, undergo rigorous imprisonment for 6 months. The petitioner is also involved in case FIR No.3, dated 01.01.2015, registered under Section 22 NDPS Act, at Police Station Division No.7, Ludhiana, in which he is undergoing trial.

In the reply that has been filed today, the report dated 08.12.2015 of the Medical Officer, District Jail, Sangrur, has been submitted, wherein it is stated that the petitioner was sent to PGI, Chandigarh, on 23.11.2015 for check-up. As per the report of the PGI, Chandigarh, the petitioner is suffering from 'Lipoma' or 'sebaceous cyst disease'. It has also been written by the PGI authorities that the petitioner can be treated in district hospital. For this there is no medical treatment but surgery only.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has shown an OPD card of Dayanand Medical College and Hospital, Ludhiana, in which the petitioner has been advised to be admitted for surgery. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is now to be admitted for surgery.

In the circumstances, keeping in view the ill-health of the petitioner, the parole already granted to him vide order dated 23.10.2015, which was extended till today, shall stand extended for a further period of 4 weeks from today. He shall now surrender in jail on 08.01.2016.

The bail and surety bonds furnished by him shall remain operative. The writ petition is accordingly disposed of.

(S. S. Saron)
Judge

09.12.2015
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(Amol Rattan Singh)
Judge