

COCP No. 2651 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision: November 10, 2016

Nirmal Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

Sh. Sanjay Kumar and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. S.K.Gupta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Mehta, Additional Advocate General, Punjab,
for the respondents.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

Reply by way of short affidavit of Sh. M.K.Tiwari, Additional Director General of Police (Prisons), Punjab-respondent No. 2 has been filed in Court, according to which, the claim of the petitioner for premature release has been considered in the light of the judgment in Kamal Kant Tewari vs. State of Punjab and others, 2014 (2) RCR (Criminal) 940 and a speaking order dated 24.10.2016 (Annexure R-1/T) has been passed by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Home and Jails.

In the light of the above, the present contempt petition has been rendered infructuous and is disposed of as such. Liberty is, however,

granted to the petitioner to avail of his remedy in accordance with law, if he is aggrieved of the order dated 24.10.2016 (Annexure R-1/T).

November 10, 2016
pj

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes
Whether Reportable: No.