

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARAYANA AT CHANDIGARH
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CRWP-1515-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.12.2017

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...PETITIONER

VS.

THE STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S.BEDI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH**

Present: Ms. Sarla Chaudhary, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

M.M.S.BEDI, J. (ORAL)

After having been convicted and sentenced in a murder case on 16.01.2015, the petitioner is undergoing sentence of imprisonment for life in District Jail, Karnal.

In the instant petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner has sought concession of release on emergency parole under Section 3 of the Haryana Good Conduct Prisoners (Temporary Release) Act, 1988 claiming that though he had made a request on 11.05.2017 but neither he has been released nor any decision has been taken on his request.

Notice to the Advocate General, Haryana.

On asking of the Court, notice has been accepted by

Sh. S.S.Pannu, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana, present in the Court.

This petition is disposed of with a direction that the request made by the petitioner for agricultural parole in May 2017 may be considered in accordance with law by the competent authorities.

It is clarified that in case no request has been received by the Jail Superintendent till date, he would be required to file a fresh application within a period of 15 days. In case any such request is made, the same may be considered in accordance with law for determining the entitlement of the petitioner for emergency parole.

It will be appreciated in case the application is finally considered within a period of one month after receipt of certified copy of this order or within a period of one month after the receipt of fresh application for parole. The decision taken on the application of the petitioner may be communicated to him within a period of one month after consideration of the application.

(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE

December 21, 2017

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(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No