

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

(212)

CWP-12290-2014

Decided on: May 16, 2017.

Kunda Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

Present: Mr. Gurbir Singh Toor, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Inder Pal Goyat, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

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

Through instant writ petition, the petitioner has sought a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing of order dated 26.11.2010 passed by Deputy Commissioner, Barnala declining to issue Red Card to the petitioner. Petitioner claims himself to be a 1984 riots victim.

During course of arguments, it transpires that during pendency of the present writ petition, the Government has issued instructions vide letter dated 22.03.2017 providing a remedy of appeal before the Commissioner within a period of 90 days, in case, a person is aggrieved by non-issuance of Red Card. Copy of the order has been placed on record and is also handed over to the counsel for the petitioner.

In view of above said circumstances, counsel for the petitioner seeks an opportunity to approach the concerned authority.

This petition is disposed of with a direction that in case the petitioner moves an application/appeal within a period of 30 days before the Commissioner against the order dated 26.11.2010, the same will be

considered on merits and in case the petitioner is found entitled, the Red Card may be granted to the petitioner. Delay in filing of the appeal under the instructions dated 22.03.2017 are hereby condoned in view of para 2 of the letter.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

May 16, 2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No