

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

**CWP-18965-2018 (O&M)
Date of decision:14.12.2018**

Pardeep

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Kuldeep Singh

Present: Ms. Gurjot Grewal, Amicus Curiae for the petitioner.

Mr. Nishchal Mann, DAG, Haryana.

Kuldeep Singh, J. (Oral)

An application was filed before the Administrative Judge of Hisar Sessions Division during annual inspection for releasing the petitioner on parole.

The matter was taken up on the judicial side. Vide order dated 15.11.2018, the State was directed to submit reply. State is the said reply has disclosed that the petitioner was convicted in FIR No.96 dated 21.01.2013 under Sections 148/149/307/353 IPC & Section 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Hisar and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for seven years in addition to fine. He was released on bail by the High Court on 05.12.2016 in CRA-290-SB-2016. The petitioner was also convicted for life imprisonment in addition to fine in FIR No.03 dated 01.01.2013 under Sections 394/397 IPC & Section 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Civil Line, Hisar. He was further convicted in FIR No.1118 dated 04.12.2012

under Sections 397/34 IPC registered at Police Station Sadar Hisar and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for seven years in addition to fine. State has taken the stand that the petitioner is hard core criminal and he has not completed five years imprisonment. Therefore, he cannot be released on parole.

It being so, the present petition is dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to file appropriate application before the Superintendent of Jail concerned when he qualifies for parole.

Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed.

(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned:	Yes
Whether Reportable:	No