

COCF No.343 of 2019

Date of Decision: 28.2.2019

Mohammad Himmayal

.....Petitioner

Versus

Karan Avtar Singh and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIRMALJIT KAUR

Present: Mr. Akshay Rana, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Sudeepti Sharma, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

NIRMALJIT KAUR, J. (ORAL)

The present contempt petition has been filed for non-compliance of the order dated 25.10.2018, vide which, the respondents undertook to decide the case of the petitioner afresh in the light of the judgment rendered in the case of Kamal Kant Tewari vs. State of Punjab and others, 2014(2) RCR (Criminal) 940.

Reply by way of short affidavit of Rohit Choudhary, Additional Director General of Police (Prisons), Punjab, Chandigarh dated 28.2.2019 filed in Court is taken on record. As per the said reply, after reconsideration, the matter was submitted to Governor of Punjab, being the competent authority for consideration and final decision. The decision of the competent authority is accordingly awaited. Learned counsel for the State submits that the matter shall be finalized within four weeks from today.

In view of the above, the present contempt petition is dismissed.

Rule issued against the respondents stands discharged.

(NIRMALJIT KAUR)
JUDGE**28.2.2019**

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No