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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.5655 of 2019(O&M)
Date of decision: March 01, 2019

Naresh Kumar ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr.Sanjiv Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harinder Singh Sidhu, J. :

The petitioner has been convicted in case FIR No.66 dated 19.7.2005 under Sections 498-A, 302, 304-B, 406, 120-B/34 IPC, Police Station Salhawas, District Jhajjar and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for life vide judgment and order dated 31.10.2008. His Criminal Appeal No.832-DB of 2008 was dismissed by this Court on 6.11.2012. His SLP was also dismissed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

The case of the petitioner is that he is entitled to premature release as per the policy of the Government of Haryana dated 13.8.2008. He has submitted a representation dated 15.1.2018 (Annexure P-2) before respondents No.2 and 3, but no action has been taken so far.

The limited prayer of the petitioner before this Court is that the respondents No.2 and 3 be directed to consider his case for premature release in terms of the relevant policy.

Accordingly, without going into the merits of the claim of the petitioner, this petition is disposed with directions to respondents No.2 and 3 to consider and take a decision on the representation dated 15.1.2019 (Annexure P-2) expeditiously, as per law.

March 01, 2019

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(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

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