

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-10194-2019

Date of Decision:29.08.2019

Manjinder Singh @ Mintu

....petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr.Vivek Salathia, Advocate
for the petitioner

Ms.Simran Grewal, AAG Punjab

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (ORAL):

1. Through this petition, the petitioner has sought a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing the order dated 07.06.2019 (P-1) passed by respondent No.4 whereby benefit of parole to the petitioner has been denied so also it is prayed that a writ of mandamus be issued directing the respondents/State to grant the benefit of temporary release to the petitioner to enable him to repair his house.

2. The petitioner was convicted and sentenced to undergo life imprisonment under Sections 302/201/34 IPC in case FIR No.265 dated 16.07.2015 registered at Police Station, A-Division, Amritsar.

3. The impugned order was passed on 07.06.2018 against which this petition was filed on 10.04.2019. Prayer has been made for grant of parole for six weeks to the petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the house of the petitioner is in a dilapidated condition and requires urgent repair. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits

that the petitioner has undergone about two years as under trial and two years after conviction.

4. Since a lot of time has gone by, the petitioner would be at liberty to move a fresh representation for parole, which will be considered in accordance with law after receiving a report from the Public Works Department as to the state of the house for which repair is stated to be required. On fresh application being received by the respondent-authorities, they will take a decision within a period specified in the guidelines and convey the order to the petitioner within reasonable time.

5. With these directions the petition stands disposed of.

29.08.2019

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(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable-

Yes
Yes/No