

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

Sr. No.144

**CWP No.24516 of 2019  
DECIDED ON: 05.09.2019**

**MALKIT SINGH**

**..PETITIONER**

**VERSUS**

**STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS**

**...RESPONDENTS**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA**

Present: Mr. Krishan Singh, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG, Punjab.  
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**ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)**

Petitioner herein seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release him on parole for four weeks for renovation of his house or to decide his case.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner moved an application for release on parole on 23.05.2019 (Annexure P-1) but the same was not adverted by the respondents. He would be satisfied if the aforesaid application is disposed of expeditiously.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service of the petition, Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG, Punjab appears and accepts notice on behalf of the State.

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

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6. Without commenting upon the merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 – Superintendent, District Jail, Barnala (Punjab) to look into the matter and to decide the application dated 23.05.2019 (Annexure P-1), moved by the petitioner, expeditiously, in accordance with law.

**05.09.2019**  
*Ankur*

**(ARUN MONGA)**  
**JUDGE**

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |