

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

**CWP No. 29660 of 2019
Date of Decision: 05.11.2019**

Puran Singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Ms. Rajpreet Singh Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (Oral)

The prayer in the present petition is for setting aside the order dated 13.09.2019 (Annex. P-2) passed by the District Magistrate, Amritsar, whereby the request of the petitioner for releasing him on parole to meet his family members has been declined.

The petitioner was convicted and sentenced to undergo 15 years rigorous imprisonment in complaint case No. 24647 of 16.04.2013 under Sections 21, 23, 25, 27A, 28, 29 and 60 of the Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

A perusal of the impugned order shows that 23 Kgs. of heroin was recovered from the petitioner and there are chances that if the petitioner is released on parole, he is likely to misuse the concession and again indulge in anti social activities. Thus, in the face of huge quantity of contraband recovered from him, I do not find any ground to

release the petitioner on parole to meet his family members.

Consequently the petition stands dismissed.

05.11.2019
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(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No