

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

CWP No.2396 of 2021
Date of decision: 02.02.2021

Jitender Singh Dangi

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: None.

Ritu Bahri, J. (oral)

Petitioner is seeking direction to the respondents to transfer Arm License No.4164/DM/SNP/AUG/2007 from the name of his father to his name under the Family Heirloom Policy and as per Section 25 of Arms Rules, 2016.

The Arms License was issued in favour of Sh. Gulab Singh, father of the petitioner, on 10.08.2007 by the District Magistrate, Sonipat and it has been renewed from time to time. Lastly, it was renewed up to 11.08.2022 (Annexure P-1). Petitioner has placed on record copy of Family Heirloom Policy (Annexure P-2), wherein it has been provided that Arms License can be transferred/granted when the license holder has attained the age of 70 years or when the license holder has held the weapon for more than 25 years. Date of birth of the father of petitioner is 08.04.1949 and he is about 72 years old as of today. Identify card of the father of petitioner has been attached as Annexure P-3. Petitioner has made an application bearing number ALC12 dated 15.01.2020 to respondent No.2-Deputy Commissioner, Sonipat, for transfer of the Arms License from the name of

his father to his name. However, no steps have been taken till date. Petitioner has also made a representation dated 15.01.2021 (Annexure P-4) through his father.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, this petition is disposed of by giving direction to respondent No.2-Deputy Commissioner, Sonipat, to look into the representation dated 15.01.2021 (Annexure P-4) and pass a speaking order thereon in accordance with law, within a period of 03 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

02.02.2021
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

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