

218 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRWP-3903-2021
Date of decision :02.09.2021

Sameer Nain

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Prateek Rathee, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Manish Dadwal, AAG, Haryana.

(Through Video Conferencing)

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

The present Criminal Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus for directing respondents to extend the period of parole by 04 weeks as the petitioner has been stated tested positive of Novel Corona Virus (COVID-19).

On 23.04.2021, when this case came up for hearing before a Coordinate Bench of this Court, the following order was passed:-

“It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner had been released on parole vide order dated 19.10.2020, copy Annexure P1 passed by Divisional Commissioner, Hisar and he is required to surrender at Central Jail-1, Hisar by tomorrow i.e. 24.4.2021, however, he has been tested Corona positive and is admitted in PGIMS, Rohtak. Therefore, he is unable to surrender in the

jail on the stipulated date. Copy of certificate from PGIMS, Rohtak in that regard has been attached as Annexure P2. An extension of period of parole by another four weeks is being sought.

Notice of motion.

Mr.Saurabh Girdhar, AAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

The State counsel shall get the factual position verified and give written response to the petition by the next date of hearing fixed as 13.5.2021.

Till then surrender of the petitioner at Central Jail-1, Hisar is kept in abeyance.”

Keeping in view, the above-said facts and circumstances, moreso the fact that the period of 04 weeks of extension sought in the present petition has already elapsed thus, the present petition has been rendered infructuous and is disposed of as such.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

02.09.2021
JITESH (JTS)

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