

CWP No.19825 of 2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 30.09.2021

Yodhvir Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present: Mr. Avtar Singh Bhatti, Advocate for the petitioner.

RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing respondent No.2 to renew the Arms licence No.LIC 69/REV/PS Garhdiwala/DM/HSP of the petitioner, which has been withheld by respondent No.2 in arbitrary manner since 25.10.2016. It is further prayed that the respondents be directed to consider the case of the petitioner and take the final decision on the legal notice of the petitioner dated 31.03.2021 (Annexure P-4) by passing a well reasoned speaking order within a time bound frame.

At the outset, counsel for the petitioner submits that, at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied if the respondents take a conscious decision on the legal notice of the petitioner dated 31.03.2021 (Annexure P-4) and pass a speaking order thereon, within a time bound frame.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Anju Arora, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Even counsel for the respondents is not averse to the expeditious disposal of the claim of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice of the petitioner dated 31.03.2021 (Annexure P-4) and take a conscious decision thereon by passing a speaking order; within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No