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2023:PHHC:038305

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRWP-91-2023

Date of decision :14.03.2023

KAMALJIT @ JUGNU

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Ms. Bhupinder Pal Kaur Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Navreet Kaur Barnala, Asstt. A.G., Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of directions to respondent No.4 to consider and decide the case of premature release of the petitioner which was initiated by the respondents vide letter No.8615 dated 15.05.2021.

On 06.01.2023, notice of motion was issued.

Today, a reply dated 09.03.2023 by way of an affidavit of Manjit Singh Tiwana, PPS, Superintendent Central Jail, Patiala has been filed on behalf of the State by the learned counsel for the State. The same is taken on record. As per para 7 of the said reply, the case for premature release of the petitioner is pending before the Government of Punjab i.e. respondent No.1-State.

In view of the above, the respondent No.1-State is directed to decide the case of the petitioner for premature release within a period of 04 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

14.03.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:-

Yes/No