

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

Date of Decision: 7th February, 2023

1. CWP-1030-2021

Parampreet Singh ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

2. CWP-1367-2021

Harpreet Kaur ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Amit Sharma, Advocate and
Mr. Satyendra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Mehta, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN , J.(Oral)

These two writ petitions in the nature of Certiorari are filed for quashing of order dated 6.02.2020 and 9.10.2020 refusing to renew the licence of the petitioners and dismissing the appeal against non-renewal.

Learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the facts and issue involved are similar and the petitions are filed by husband and wife, hence, being disposed of by a common order.

For the sake of convenience the facts are taken from CWP-1030-2021.

The petitioner was having arms licence since 1994. He migrated to United States of America and had applied for renewal of the licence. Before passing impugned order, opportunity of hearing was provided to the petitioner which was not availed. The impugned order refusing the renewal of arms licence was passed.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he was not able to put the factual and legal aspect of the matter before the authority concerned.

Learned State Counsel on instructions submits that if in case the petitioners approach the concerned authority, the matters would be considered as per law.

In view of the above, the impugned orders are set aside and the matters are remitted back to the respondent No.3 to decide afresh. Parties are directed to appear before respondent No.3 on 14.03.2023 at 11:00 AM.

Petitions are disposed of.

Since the main cases have been disposed of , the pending application(s), if any is rendered infructuous.

A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of connected case(s).

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

7th February, 2023
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Whether reasoned/speaking	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No