

102 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-8363-2023

Date of Decision : 25.08.2023

Prabhu Dayal ...Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and othersRespondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Lalit Batra

Present : Mr. R.S. Dhull, Advocate for the petitioner.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in the petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for the issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus for directing the respondents to grant furlough to the petitioner for a period of three weeks by accepting the application, Annexure P/1, submitted by the petitioner before respondent No.4.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner would be satisfied if the instant petition is disposed of by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide representation Annexure P/1, forwarded vide letter No.403 dated 17.01.2023, in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion to respondent No.2 only.

4. Mr. Surender Pannu, Addl. AG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.2 and states that he has no objection to the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner. He, however, states that since report has to be submitted by respondent No.3-District Magistrate, Hapur,

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District Hapur, Uttar Pradesh, before the matter can be processed, sufficient time may be granted to take final decision in the matter. He, however, concedes that the report is to be sought by respondent No.2 in respect thereto.

5. In view of the position noted above and taking into account the totality of circumstances, we dispose of the instant petition by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide application Annexure P/1 submitted by the petitioner, in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within four weeks from today.

6. Petition disposed of with the aforementioned directions.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

(Lalit Batra)
Judge

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