

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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CRWP-1596-2023
Date of decision: 06.02.2024

ANGREJ SINGHPetitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

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

Mr. Jashandeep Singh, AAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI. J.(Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India. Mandamus is sought to be passed upon the official respondent concerned, to consider the claim of the petitioner for premature release.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has completed his sentence, and as per the policy adopted by the State of Punjab, the petitioner is duly entitled to be released on premature release. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the application as well as the legal notice has already been served, however, no action has been taken upon the said application, as well as the legal notice.

Be that as it may, the authority concerned is directed to decide the

plea of premature release, on the basis of policy, if applicable to the present petitioner, by passing a speaking order. The said speaking order may be passed within a period of three months from today.

Disposed of accordingly.

06.02.2024
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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No
Whether Reportable. : Yes/No