

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-2055-2024
Date of Decision.:15.04.2024

Babbu @ Gabbar Singh

Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and Others

Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present: Ms. Neha Shukla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amandeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner is a convict in case FIR No.25 dated 16.03.2018 registered at Police Station Amloh, District Fathegarh Sahib under Sections 15, 20 of the NDPS Act and has been sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of 03 years and 10 years respectively. He applied for 08 weeks parole so as to make necessary arrangements for the marriage of his daughter, which was declined by District Magistrate, Patiala vide order dated 07.03.2024. Petitioner has now approached this Court for granting him parole/furlough in order to look after his family and to make arrangements for his daughter's wedding which is scheduled for 18.04.2024.

2. As pleaded by the petitioner and as has also been verified by the respondent- State, in fact Ramanrani Kaur, whose marriage is going to be solemnized on 18.04.2024 is the daughter of Late Rajwinder Singh. After the death of said Rajwinder Singh, his widow Smt. Saranjeet Kaur @ Babli had performed kareva marriage with the petitioner.

3. Once it is not disputed that Ramanrani Kaur, is the daughter of the wife of the petitioner, may be from her first husband, there is no reason to decline parole to the petitioner so as to make arrangements for the marriage of his daughter.
4. As such, this petition is hereby accepted. Petitioner is directed to be released, with immediate effect as the marriage is fixed for 18.04.2024, till 20.04.2024, on his furnishing requisite personal bonds in the sum of ₹1,00,000/- with one surety in the like amount before the Court of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate concerned.
5. Petitioner is directed to surrender before the jail authorities by 05:00 p.m. on 20.04.2024.

Disposed of.

(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

April 15, 2024
Neetika Tuteja

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No