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

(102)

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Date of Decision : June 07, 2024

Bilal @ Billa

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. Manoj Pundir, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed by the petitioner seeking grant of parole for a period of four weeks as envisaged under Section 3 (2) of Haryana Good Conduct Prisoners (Temporary Released) Act, 2022 (hereinafter referred as '2022 Act') so that he is able to manage as well as attend the wedding of his real sister which is scheduled to be held on 11.06.2024.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is serving the life sentence in respect of FIR No.133 dated 02.05.2019 and keeping in view the 2022 Act, he is entitled for the grant of parole as the marriage of the real sister of the petitioner is fixed for 11.06.2024 and father

of the petitioner had already filed an application for the grant of parole to

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the petitioner, a copy of which has been appended with this petition as Annexure P-3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that despite the fact that more than two weeks have passed since the application is filed but no decision has been taken on the said application and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage in case, the respondents are directed to finalize the consideration for the request as requested vide Annexure P-3 in a time bound manner so that the petitioner should know about the outcome of his request for the grant of parole prior to the solemnization of the marriage of the sister of the petitioner i.e. 11.06.2024.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Pankaj Middha, learned Addl. Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents, on the instructions from Mr. Sanjay Singh, Warder, Parole File In-charge, District Jail, Yamuna Nagar, submits that the jail authorities have already recommended the grant of parole for a period of four weeks but the same is pending consideration with respondent No.2- Divisional Commissioner, Ambala, who is to pass appropriate order.

6. We have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the record with their able assistance.

7. Keeping in view the facts which have been stated hereinbefore as the jail authorities have already given their re-commendation on the request of the father of the petitioner for the grant of parole to the petitioner for a period of four weeks so as to manage and attend the wedding of his sister which is fixed for 11.06.2024, the interest of justice will be achieved

in case respondent No.2 is directed to decide the said claim by 08.06.2024



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positively and convey the said decision to the petitioner as well as his father for information and necessary action.

8. The present petition is disposed of with abovesaid directions.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

June 07, 2024
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(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE

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