

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-11828-2023 (O&M)

Date of decision:- 16.01.2024

Himanshu

.... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE KIRTI SINGH

Present: Mr. Monu Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Saravjit Cheema, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking extension of parole as he is suffering from fever and mouth disease.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was being treated at the Civil Hospital Jalandhar and Punjab Institute of Medical Sciences, Jalandhar but now he is admitted in Kapoor Bone and Children Hospital, Jalandhar and is undergoing treatment there. This court vide order dated 06.12.2023 had extended the period of parole till 05.01.2024 as the petitioner was undergoing treatment as indoor patient in Civil Hospital, Jalandhar.

3. We were informed by the State counsel on 05.01.2024 that the petitioner had left the Civil Hospital, Jalandhar on 04.12.2023 without permission of the Doctor.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner had informed this Court that the petitioner is admitted to Punjab Institute of Medical Science,

Jalandhar and the State counsel was directed to verify this fact.

5. The State counsel has filed the affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division Kartarpur, District Jalandhar wherein it is stated that the petitioner was earlier admitted in Punjab Institute of Medical Science Hospital at Jalandhar but he had left the hospital without informing the doctors and against medical advice. Copy of the report is at Annexure R-3.

6. Heard. It is, thus, evident from the above stated facts that the petitioner has been changing hospitals at his free will and against medical advice. He is stated to be suffering from viral fever and chikungunya.

7. We do not deem it appropriate to grant any further extension in the period of parole. We would however, grant him reasonable time to surrender before the authorities.

8. The petition is disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to surrender before the concerned Jail within a period of 10 days i.e. on 26.01.2024. At the time of surrender, petitioner would be medically examined at the Jail Hospital and would be accorded proper treatment as advised by the Doctors and would be taken to a specialized hospital, if so advised.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

(KIRTI SINGH)
JUDGE

16.01.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No