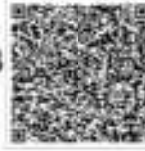


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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

SR. NO.114

CRWP-8081-2025

DATE OF DECISION:29.07.2025

BABU RAM

...PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.S. SHEKHAWAT

Present: Mr. H.S. Jaswal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajinder Kumar Banku, Sr. DAG, Haryana.

N.S. SHEKHAWAT, J.

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India with a prayer to issue appropriate and necessary direction to respondents No.1 and 2 to consider and decide the parole case of the petitioner pending since 27.04.2025. A further prayer has also been made to grant 05 weeks' regular parole to the petitioner under the provisions of Section 3 of the Haryana Good Conduct Prisoner's (Temporary Release) Act, 2022.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has already undergone 10 years of actual sentence and is still confined in jail. He next submits that now the petitioner has again approached respondent No.3 for grant of regular parole of five weeks and on his request, the parole case of the petitioner has been initiated on 27.04.2025 for conducting verification and passing final order. However, the same is pending consideration before respondents No.1 and 2 for the last more than three months. By referring to the provisions of Section 12 of the Haryana

Good Conduct Prisoner's (Temporary Release) Act, learned counsel submits that the maximum time for processing an application for a regular parole is seven weeks, whereas his prayer is pending for the last three months.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied in case appropriate directions are issued to respondents No.1 and 2 to consider and decided the case of the petitioner for grant of regular parole within a period of two weeks from today.

Heard.

Without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the District Magistrate, Yamuna Nagar-respondent No.2 to consider and decide the case of the petitioner for grant of parole by passing an appropriate order thereon, strictly as per law, within a period of two weeks from today.

(N.S. SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

29.07.2025
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Whether Speaking/Reasoned: YES / NO
Whether Reportable: YES / NO