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

CWP-24530-2025

Date of decision: 25.08.2025

SWARAN SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. Rajwant Singh Chahal. Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

1. The present writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide the application submitted on 01.02.2023 (Annexure P-7) by the petitioner for renewal of non-prohibited .32 bore pistol arms licence.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had served a representation dated 03.07.2025 (Annexure P-11) to respondent No.2 but the same has not been considered and decided till date. He further submitted that at this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied in case the aforesaid representation dated 03.07.2025 (Annexure P-11) is considered and decided by respondent No.2 in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.



4. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Neha Sonawane, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. She submitted that in view of the aforesaid limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, she has no objection in case a time bound direction is issued in this regard.

5. In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances, without calling for the reply from the respondents and without expressing anything on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-District Magistrate, SAS Nagar, Mohali, to consider and decide the representation dated 03.07.2025 (Annexure P-11) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of three months from today.

25.08.2025
Chetan Thakur

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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