



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-11178-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.10.2025

Baldev Singh

...Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

State of Haryana and another

...Respondent(s)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Lalit Kumar Narang, Advocate and
Mr. Kushager Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Vivek Chauhan, Addl. A.G. Haryana

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

1. This 6th petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India read with Section 5(1) read with Sections 11 and 12 of the Haryana Good Conduct Prisoners (Temporary Release) Act, 2022 for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus to release the petitioner on emergency parole for a period of 03 weeks in case bearing FIR No.234 dated 17.09.1990 registered under Section 15 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Sadar Dabwali, District Sirsa, for further treatment of his right hip from Sir Ganga Ram Hospital at New Delhi as advised by the PGMIS, Chandigarh.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was convicted and sentenced to undergo 10 years 'imprisonment in the aforesaid FIR, against which he has already exhausted all remedies up to the



Hon'ble Supreme Court. His sentence, originally of 12 years, was reduced to 10 years vide judgment dated 04.11.2015 passed in Criminal Appeal No. 167 of 2006. It is submitted that the petitioner is nearly 70 years of age and has already undergone an imprisonment of approximately 4 years. Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner has been suffering from a hip ailment for which he underwent surgical treatment at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi. Subsequently, the petitioner developed post-surgical complications and has been repeatedly granted parole by this Court for medical treatment and follow-up concerning his hip replacement. On each occasion, the petitioner has duly surrendered within the stipulated period and has never misused the concession of parole granted to him. It is further contended that the petitioner again experienced medical complications and was taken to PGIMER, Chandigarh, where, as per the OPD card dated 25.09.2025, a revision of Total Hip Replacement (THR) has been recommended. The said revision surgery, as per medical advice, is required to be conducted at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi, where the initial procedure had been performed. Accordingly, learned counsel prays that the petitioner be granted emergency parole for a period of three weeks to enable him to undergo the necessary surgical treatment and post-operative care.

2. Learned State counsel does not dispute that the petitioner has not misused the concession of parole earlier granted to him and the veracity of the OPD card of the petitioner that has been appended with the present petition.



3. Taking into consideration the medical record of the petitioner that had been relied upon at earlier instances for grant of emergency parole so as to enable the petitioner to get treatment for his hip pain and THR coupled with the fact that the petitioner had surrendered as per the terms and conditions of the parole orders and had not misused the concession of parole earlier granted to him, I am inclined to accept the prayer.
4. Consequently, the present petition is allowed, the petitioner is ordered to be released on parole for a period of 3 weeks commencing from 03.11.2025 to 21.11.2025.
5. The petitioner shall surrender before the authorities concerned on or before 21.11.2025

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

30.10.2025
Mangal Singh

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