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

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Date of decision : 22.05.2026**

Rakam Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA

Present: Mr. Sankalp Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner
Through video conferencing.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner has challenged the inquiry report dated 20.06.2021 (Annexure P-2); order of punishment dated 16.08.2021 (Annexure P-3); order dated 25.11.2021 (Annexure P-4), vide which, the punishment was reduced to stoppage of 03 annual increments with permanent effect; revision order dated 13.09.2022 (Annexure P-5), vide which, the punishment of stoppage of 03 future annual increment was reduced to that of stoppage of 02 future annual increments with permanent effect and the ACR entry for the period from 19.12.2020 to 31.03.2021.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the petitioner have filed mercy petitions dated 09.11.2022 (Annexure P-8) and dated 12.07.2022 (Annexure P-9) before the respondents, which are still pending. He, on instructions from the

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petitioner, submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if at this stage, a direction is given to respondent No.2 to decide the mercy petitions dated 09.11.2022 (Annexure P-8) and dated 12.07.2022 (Annexure P-9) filed by the petitioner in a time-bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Gaurav Jindal, Addl. AG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and does not oppose the prayer made by the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner.

5. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the mercy petitions dated 09.11.2022 (Annexure P-8) and dated 12.07.2022 (Annexure P-9) filed by the petitioner, in accordance with law/rules, within a period of 04 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

6. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand(s) disposed of.

22.05.2026

Ramandeep Singh

**(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No