

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

INHERENT JURISDICTION

Contempt Petition (Civil) No 1068 of 2023

In

Writ Petition (Criminal) No 428 of 2021

Zakir

...Petitioner

Versus

Sanjay Prasad and Another

...Respondents

ORDER

- 1 Ms Garima Prasad, Additional Advocate General for the State of Uttar Pradesh states that in compliance of the order of this Court dated 9 May 2022, the State Government considered the case of the petitioner for premature release, but it was rejected initially on 2 June 2022 and thereafter on 24 July 2023 when his request was declined on the ground that the petitioner who is convicted in a case involving a triple murder is not at present eligible for premature release.
- 2 A copy of the order dated 24 July 2023 shall be immediately served on the counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner so as to enable the petitioner to take appropriate steps, if he is so advised, to challenge the order of rejection of premature release.

- 3 The Contempt Petition is accordingly disposed of.
- 4 Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

.....CJI.
[Dr Dhananjaya Y Chandrachud]

.....J.
[J B Pardiwala]

.....J.
[Manoj Misra]

New Delhi;
August 21, 2023
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ITEM NO.16

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SECTION X

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

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Date : 21-08-2023 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ MISRA**

For Petitioner(s) **Mr. Praveen Chaturvedi, AOR
Mr. Shashindra Tripathi, Adv.
Mrs. Jyoti Chaturvedi, Adv.**

For Respondent(s) **Ms. Garima Prasad, Sr. Adv., AAG
Mr. Adarsh Upadhyay, Adv.
Ms. Pallavi Kumari, Adv.**

**UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R**

- 1 The Contempt Petition is disposed of in terms of the signed order.**
- 2 Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.**

**(CHETAN KUMAR)
A.R.-cum-P.S.**

**(SAROJ KUMARI GAUR)
Assistant Registrar**

(Signed order is placed on the file)