



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPCR No. 590 of 2025

TO MONITOR AND SUPERVISE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
REMISSION AND PREMATURE RELEASE POLICIES

versus

THE STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Order Sheet

11/03/2026	This is an office reference. Heard, Mr. Praveen Das, learned Addl. Advocate General, learned counsel for the Respondent/ State. In compliance of the Court's order dated 09.12.2025, affidavit has been filed by the Senior Law Officer, Head Quarter Prison & Correctional Services, Nawa Raipur and form perusal of the said affidavit, para 4 was goes to show that total of 595 cases

	relating to premature release/ remission of life convicts and presently under process. The stage-wise status of the said cases is as under:- • 126 cases are under process at Jail Offices; • 58 cases are under process before the offices of the respective Hon'ble Presiding Courts; • 232 cases are under process before the offices of the concerned District Magistrates; • 49 cases are under process at the Jail Headquarters; • 89 cases are under process before the State Sentence Review Board and • 41 cases are under process before the State Government for final decision (28 cases under Rule 358 of Chhattisgarh Prisons Rule, 1968, 13 cases under Section 473 of BNSS, 2023) It is further perused that, in the meeting dated 24/12/2025, 28 cases were placed and the recommendations of the said 28 cases have been forwarded by the Board to the State Government for
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further action on 12.01.2026. It is further submitted in the affidavit that, 49 cases were placed for consideration before the Board on 20.01.2026 and preparation of individual recommendations is under process for being forwarded to the State Government for further action.

Let a fresh affidavit be filed by the Senior Law Officer, Headquarters, Prisons and Correctional Services, Nawa Raipur, Raipur (CG), by the next date of hearing, regarding the disposal of the case with respect to the premature release and remission.

List this case on 15.04.2026.

Sd/-
(Ravindra Kumar Agrawal)
Judge

Sd/-
(Ramesh Sinha)
Chief Justice