

**RAKESH KUMAR Versus STATE OF HP**

**CRMPM-288 of 2026**

**25.03.2026** Present: Mr. Varun Thakur, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajan Kahol & Mr. Vishal Panwar, Additional Advocates General with Mr. Ravi Chauhan & Mr. Anish Banshtu, Deputy Advocates General, for the respondents-State.

ASI Chaman Lal, PS Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh, present in person.

Respondent-State has filed status report and ASI Chaman Lal has come present with record. Learned counsel for the petitioner prays for and is granted two weeks' time to place on record additional documents suggestive of the fact that petitioner, who is 60 years old, is suffering from kidney disease and recently he was taken to PGI for treatment by the jail authorities.

Learned Additional Advocate General may also verify aforesaid fact from the jail authorities and specifically apprise this Court "whether disease, if any, suffered by the petitioner can be treated at jail or the same requires treatment from the hospital?"

List on 09.04.2026.

**March 25, 2026**  
(*sunil*)

**(Sandeep Sharma),**  
**Judge**