

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM**

**PRESENT:**

**THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE**

**TUESDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2015/21ST ASWINA, 1937**

**WP(C).No. 29613 of 2015 (B)**  
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**PETITIONER(S) :**  
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**MRS.RINLY SEBASTIAN,  
WIFE OF RONY MOZOOR JOSE, RESIDING AT CHALACKAL 28 HOUSE,  
CHEERANCHIRA P.O, CHANGANACHERRY-686 106,  
KOTTAYAM DISTRICT.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.M.A.AUGUSTINE  
SMT.SOUMYA JAMES  
SRI.VARUGHESE CHERIAN  
SMT.S.SJAYAKALA**

**RESPONDENT(S):**  
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**THE REGIONAL PASSPORT OFFICER,  
REGIONAL PASSPORT OFFICE, PANAMPILLY NAGAR, ERNAKULAM,  
COCHIN-6782036.**

**BY ADV. SRI.N.NAGARESH, ASSISTANT SOLICITOR GENERAL**

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION  
ON 13-10-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE  
FOLLOWING:**

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**APPENDIX**

**PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS :**  
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**P1 : COPY OF AFFIDAVIT DATED 15-07-2015 SWORN TO BY THE PETITIONER.**

**P2 : COPY OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF THE PETITIONER ISSUED BY  
THE BIRTH & DEATH REGISTRAR & EXECUTIVE OFFICER,  
CHENNAI-600 126 OF THE GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU.**

**P3 : COPY OF APPLICATION DATED 14-07-2015 SUBMITTED BY  
THE PETITIONER FOR RENEWAL OF HER PASSPORT.**

**RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS :**  
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**NIL**

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**P.A.TO JUDGE.**

Msd.

**A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE, J.**

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**W.P(C).No. 29613 of 2015**  
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**Dated this the 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2015**

**JUDGMENT**

The petitioner has approached the Passport authorities for correction of his place of birth in the passport. According to the petitioner, the respondent is inclined to correct his place of birth in the passport, which led the petitioner to approach this Court.

2. A statement has been filed on the behalf of the respondent. In paragraph 8 of the statement it is stated as follows:

*“8. In view of what is stated above in paragraphs 1 to 5, it is submitted that application for correction of place of birth of the petitioner will be considered on she approaching the office of the respondent with an order adjudicating her place of birth with all supporting documents in original for correcting place of birth in her passport and on remitting the penal fee as directed by the Passport Issuing Authority.”*

Therefore, this Court is of the view that the Passport authority shall take appropriate decision in the matter on being satisfied with the genuineness of the documents produced by the petitioner. The petitioner shall produce all the documents relating to the change of his place of birth before the Passport authority.

The Writ Petition is disposed of as above.

**A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE  
JUDGE**

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