

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh.

**CWP No. 26467 of 2015
Decided on 19.12.2015**

M/s.Shanti Travels

--Petitioner

Vs.

Union of India and others

--Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN

Present: Mr. Akshay Bhan, Sr. Advocate, with
Mr.Amandeep Talwar,Advocate, for the petitioner

Rakesh Kumar Jain,J: (Oral)

This petition is filed to assail the validity of the order dated 1.12.2015, passed by the Secretary, Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs, Govt. of India, The Appellate Authority, under the Emmigration Act,1983 (for short,'the Act').

The petitioner had earlier approached this Court by way of CWP No. 19554 of 2015 when his appeal filed under Section 23 of the Act along-with an application for stay was pending before the Appellate Authority. It was disposed of on 16.9.2015 with a direction to the Appellate Authority to decide the appeal within one month.

After the direction of this Court, the Appellate Authority has decided the appeal of the petitioner vide its impugned order and has

remanded the case back to the Registration Authority, with a direction that he would provide another opportunity to the petitioner to defend the cancellation of Registration Certificate and to make a fresh determination about the cancellation or otherwise.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that because no time has been fixed by the Appellate Authority to take decision, his right to apply for renewal of the Registration Certificate in terms of the provisions of the Act, would be in jeopardy. He has, thus, made an innocuous prayer to direct the Registration Authority, to decide about his Registration Certificate, within a stipulated period.

After hearing learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, I am of the considered opinion that the ends of justice would be met, directing the Registration Authority to decide the issue regarding the issuance of R.C to the petitioner, within a period of seven days, from the date of appearance by the petitioner before it. Hence, it is ordered accordingly.

The petitioner is directed to appear before the Registration Authority, Chandigarh on 22.12.2015.

A copy of this order be given dasti.

Disposed of.

19.12.2015
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(Rakesh Kumar Jain)
Judge