

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CWP No.18389 of 2016
Decided on :05.09.2016**

Jatinder Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

Present : Mr. S.K. Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

G.S. Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking correction in the mother's name as “Baljinder Kaur” instead of “Balwinder Kaur” in the educational certificates, Annexures P-1 to P-3 issued by the respondent-Board. Reliance is placed upon the Election Commission Identity Card (Annexure P-4 colly.) alongwith the Aadhar Card. Similarly reliance is also placed upon the birth certificate registered on 31.08.1985 (Annexure P-5) to show that the name of the mother was mentioned as “Baljinder Kaur” and in the admission and withdrawal register of Greenwood Public High School, Patra (Annexure P-6). It is, accordingly, submitted that the representation dated 02.08.2016 (Annexure P-7) has already been filed by the petitioner with the respondent-Board and is pending consideration.

Counsel submits that he would be satisfied if the said representation is decided within a time frame.

Keeping in view the limited relief sought and the fact that the representation is pending consideration, this Court does not feel it necessary to call upon the respondents to file reply.

Without commenting on the merits of the case or the entitlement of the petitioner, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2-Board to take a decision on the said representation dated 02.08.2016 (Annexure P-7) within a period of 2 months from the receipt of the certified copy of this order. In case, the petitioner is not entitled for the said relief the respondent-Board shall pass a reasoned order.

It is open to the respondent-Board to call upon the petitioner to provide the necessary documents in support of his claim, in case not supplied.

With the aforesaid observations, the present writ petition stands disposed of.

SEPTEMBER 05, 2016
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No