

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

CWP-20601-2016 (O&M)

Date of decision: 7.12.2018

Karamjit Singh Sangha

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr.ADS Jattana, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr.AK Jain, Advocate for respondent Nos. 1 to 3

Mr.Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl.AG, Punjab
for respondent No.4

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J.

The present petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India has been filed for issuance of direction to respondent Nos. 1 and 2 to renew and re-issue the passport of the petitioner.

As per the record, the petitioner applied for renewal and reissue of his passport bearing No.B2773322 vide passport application No.CH3079190134015 dated 13.8.2015, but the same was declined by the passport office on the ground that FIR No.127 dated 13.9.2011, registered under Sections 420, 120-B IPC at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar is pending against him.

Learned counsel for respondent Nos. 1 to 3 -Union of India submits that as per the passport verification report, the petitioner was found

involved in FIR No.127 dated 13.9.2011, registered under Sections 420, 120-B IPC at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar. Subsequently, the petitioner submitted an affidavit stating therein that inadvertently, the factum of registration of said FIR against him could not be reflected in the application. Learned counsel further submits that the entire process is computerised and the application get deregistered on account of expiry of one year period.

At this stage, the learned counsel for the petitioner seeks to withdraw the present petition with liberty to apply a fresh application for renewal and reissue of the passport. Accordingly, it is ordered that in case, the petitioner fulfills all the conditions of renewal and reissue of the passport, the necessary consequential relief be allowed to him, otherwise, a speaking order be passed on the application.

Disposed of accordingly.

7.12.2018
gsv

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned?

Yes / No

Whether reportable?

Yes / No