

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

CWP No.15155 of 2019

Date of decision: 10.09.2019

Anuj Kumar.

....Petitioner

Versus

Central Board of Secondary Education and ors.

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia

Present: Mr. Fateh Saini, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kannan Malik, Advocate for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

Mr. Ashish Yadav, Advocate for respondent No.3.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in the writ petition is for quashing of communication Annexure P-3 dated 10.8.2017 as also Annexure P-10 dated 24.7.2018 rejecting the prayer of the petitioner for correction of his name from 'Anuj' to 'Anuj Kumar' and his mother's name from 'Suman' to 'Jai Devi' in the Secondary Education Certificate issued on 28.05.2016.

2. Learned counsel for respondent Nos.1 and 2-CBSE states that he is unable to file reply on account of misplacing of the record submitted by respondent No.3-School for correction of the petitioner's as well as his mother's name in the 10th Class certificate and that in the circumstances, in case the record as was forwarded earlier by respondent No.3-School is resubmitted to the CBSE Authorities, a fresh decision would be taken in the matter in the light of the rules and regulations applicable.

3. The same satisfies learned counsel for the petitioner.
4. Mr. Ashish Yadav, learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No.3-School states that the School would forward a photocopy of the record as the original record was forwarded by it earlier to the CBSE Authorities for correction of the petitioner's as well as his mother's name.
5. Learned counsel for the petitioner also states that he has no objection to a fresh decision being taken in the matter.
6. In the light of the statement of learned counsel for the parties, the impugned communications are set aside. Respondent No.3-School is directed to forward copy of the record as was submitted by it earlier to the CBSE within two weeks from today. On receipt of the record from respondent No.3, the competent Authority-CBSE would take a fresh decision with regard to the claim of the petitioner for correction of his name 'Anuj' to read as 'Anuj Kumar' and for his mother's name 'Suman' to read as 'Jai Devi' within a period of four weeks thereafter.
7. Writ petition disposed of with the aforementioned directions.

September 10, 2019

(B.S. WALIA)

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No