

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-40561-2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 07.01.2019

Joel @ Joe

--Petitioner

Versus

Union of India & others

--Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. A.P. Kaushal, Advocate for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J (Oral)

Petitioner seeks a Writ of Mandamus directing official respondents no.3 to 5 to take him in police custody to the office of respondent no.2 i.e. the High Commission, Nigeria, New Delhi to complete certain formalities for issuance/renewal of his Passport.

Averments made in the petition indicate that the petitioner is an accused and facing trial in FIR No.15 dated 13.1.2018 registered under Section 21 of N.D.P.S Act at Police Station, Sector 39, Chandigarh. Apparently, offences under sections 420, 467, 468 and 471 I.P.C and section 12 of the Passport Act, 1967 have also been incorporated.

Having argued the matter at some length counsel prays for withdrawal of the instant petition with liberty to pursue the matter with the Trial Court.

Prayer is allowed.

Dismissed as withdrawn with the liberty, as prayed for.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No