

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 19759 of 2020 (O&M)

Date of decision : November 23, 2020

Raminder Virly

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Fateh Deep Singh

Present : Mr. Mohd. Salim, Advocate, for the petitioner

Fateh Deep Singh, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through Video-conferencing on account of outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

The petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer by way of writ of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to respondents no. 1 to 3 to decide the representation dated 5.5.2019, Annexure P-8 for furnishing correct and positive report for issuance of passport to the petitioner and also to respondent no. 4 for issuing passport.

Heard.

Notice of motion to the official respondents no. 1 to 3-State.

Mr. Shireesh Gupta, Senior DAG, Punjab has put in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents no. 1 to 3-State. Copy supplied.

Upon hearing learned counsel of both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the official respondents no. 1 to 3 to consider representation dated 5.5.2019, Annexure P-8 and decide the same, moved by the petitioner, in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

November 23, 2020

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**(Fateh Deep Singh)
Judge**

*Whether speaking/reasoned ?
Whether Reportable ?*

*Yes/No
Yes/No*