

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

**CWP-5516-2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 31.03.2021**

Harpreet Singh (minor) through his mother ... Petitioner

Versus

Central Board of Secondary Education & another ... Respondents

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

Present:- Mr. Manoj R. Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

Matter has been taken up through Video Conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Petitioner is stated to be a minor aged 17 years.

Instant petition has been filed seeking a mandamus for directing the Central Board of Secondary Education to carry out a correction in the secondary school examination certificate at Annexure P-1 as regards the father's name and the same to read as Amarjit Singh instead of Amarjeet Singh.

Pleadings on record would indicate that the petitioner had studied at Kalgidhar International School, Purana Shalla, Gurdaspur.

On a specific query having been put, counsel concedes that in the school records, name of father of the petitioner does appear as Amarjeet Singh.

Under such circumstances, the petitioner ought to have the school records rectified as regards the name of the father is concerned and

thereafter to carry the prayer to Central Board of Secondary Education.

No interference at this stage is called for.

Petition is disposed of.

Liberty is granted to the petitioner to approach the school concerned for carrying out the necessary corrections in the school records as regards name of the father, based upon other original documents in the nature of Aadhar Card, Pan Card etc. (Annexures P-4 and P-5). After such correction is carried out by the school authorities, it would be open for the petitioner to approach the Central Board of Secondary Education afresh.

31.03.2021

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether reportable? | Yes/No |