

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

Sr. No.105

CWP-17023-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision : 02.09.2021

Jaskaranjit Singh Gill

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

Regional Passport Officer, Jalandhar and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. I.S. Luthra, Advocate, for the petitioner.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

It is submitted that respondent No.3 has obtained a passport by suppressing material facts. The petitioner has supplied the necessary facts vide representation dated 12.07.2021 (Annexure P-4), but no action is being taken thereupon. Section 10 of the Passports Act, 1967, enjoins upon the Passport Officer to take appropriate action upon information being supplied to him that the passport has been obtained by suppression of material information or on the basis of wrong information.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 and 2 only.

Ms. Gehna Vaishnavi, Advocate, accepts notice and waives service.

Considering the nature of the order being passed, no reply is necessary.

The writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 to decide the pending representation dated 12.07.2021 (Annexure P-4) by passing a speaking order within 12 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

02.09.2021
Ramandeep Singh

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes/ No