

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

SR. No.105

CWP-10689-2022

Date of Decision:19.05.2022

Kamalpreet Singh @ Kamal Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr.Bhawesh Chaudhary, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Shweta Nahata, Advocate
for respondent Union of India.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner was a valid passport holder. He went to New Zealand and obtained resident Visa. While in New Zealand, he was convicted for sexual assault and sentenced to imprisonment for 06 years. In 2019, he was granted parole and deported to India. The passport was valid up-to 2019 and thus, an application for re-issuance of the same has been filed. However, the same has allegedly not been processed and the petitioner has been verbally informed that his passport has been impounded for a period of 05 years.

The order of impounding is not under challenge before this Court and thus no relief can be granted to the petitioner.

The writ petition is accordingly dismissed.

19.05.2022
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(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned: YES / NO

Whether Reportable: YES / NO