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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 16.11.2023

Sukhdev Singh Namdhari

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and Others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL**

Present:- Dr. Malkit Singh, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Indresh Goel, Senior Panel Counsel  
for respondent Nos.1 and 2

Mr. Deepanjay Sharma, DAG, Punjab  
(assisted by Harvinder Singh DSP)

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**JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)**

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to the respondents to renew his passport.

2. The petitioner was issued passport on 08.01.2008 which expired on 07.01.2018. The petitioner applied for renewal of passport. An FIR No.412 dated 15.12.2007 under Section 365 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Pilani, District Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan came to be registered against the petitioner.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from Harvinder Singh DSP, submits that, police after completing its investigation filed cancellation report which stands accepted by the Trial Court.

4. Faced with this, learned counsel for the respondent Nos.1 and 2 assures the Court that passport authority would pass an appropriate order on the application of the petitioner within 6 weeks from today.
5. Learned counsel for the petitioner agrees to the aforesaid arrangement.
6. In the wake of statements of learned counsels for the parties, the present petition stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)  
JUDGE

16.11.2023  
Mohit Kumar

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| <i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| <i>Whether reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |