

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh
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2023:PHHC:099538

CWP-16607 of 2023

Date of Decision: 03.08.2023

Dilpreet Singh

---Petitioner

versus

Union of India and others

---Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Bhavesh Aggarwal, Advocate for
Mr. Vikasdeep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Himanshu Malik, Advocate
for Union of India

Mr. Deepanjay Sharma, DAG, Punjab

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondents No. 1 and 2 to re-issue his passport.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia submits that FIR No. 39 dated 30.04.2021, under Sections 307, 506, 148 and 149 of IPC and Section 25/27 of Arms Act was registered against the petitioner at Police Station Makhu, District Ferozepur, however, police during investigation, found the petitioner innocent. Accordingly, no challan was presented against the petitioner.

3. Mr. Deepanjay Sharma, DAG, Punjab submits that

petitioner has been found innocent in aforesaid FIR, however, report with respect to pendency of any other FIR is under preparation. The authority concerned would prepare report with respect to any other FIR pending against the petitioner within two weeks from today and forward the same to passport authority.

4. Mr. Himanshu Malik, Advocate for Union of India submits that as soon as police report is received from the quarter concerned, application of the petitioner would be processed, in accordance with law.

5. In view of statement of both sides, the petition stands disposed of with a direction to passport authority to process application of the petitioner within four weeks from the date of receipt of police verification report.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)

JUDGE

03.08.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No