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

CWP-27030-2022

Date of decision : 17.01.2023

Ronitveer Singh Mann

...Petitioner

Versus

Central Board of Secondary Education and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. H.S. Dhindsa, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Nitin Kant Setia, Advocate for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This is a Civil Writ Petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ, order or directions especially in the nature of mandamus directing respondent Nos.1 and 2 to correct the name of the petitioner in Class 12th Certificates i.e. DMC, Pass Certificate and Migration Certificate dated 13.07.2020, 29.05.2017 and 21.08.2020 (Annexures P-5 to P-5/B respectively).

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the name of the petitioner as shown in the school record is Ronitveer Singh Mann whereas his name in the CBSE Certificates as well as in Migration Certificate has been mentioned as Ronit Singh and has stated that the petitioner had passed CBSE Board in the year 2020.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has further submitted that the entire issue with respect to changes/corrections to be made in the certificate

issued by the Central Board of Secondary Education has been adjudicated upon by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in a detailed judgment passed in case titled as **Jigya Yadav (minor) (through Guardian/father Hari Singh) Vs. CBSE (Central Board of Secondary Education) and others** and other connected matters reported as **2021(7) SCC 535** by a three Judge Bench of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and has submitted that with respect to his grievance, he has given legal notice-cum-representation dated 07.10.2022 (Annexure P-6) and has prayed that the respondents be directed to consider the said legal notice/representation by passing a speaking order after taking into consideration the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Jigya Yadav (minor)'s case (Supra) within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of the present order.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.1 and 2 has submitted that he has no objection to the said course of action.

Keeping in view the abovesaid facts and circumstances, the present Civil Writ Petition is disposed of in the following terms:-

- 1) The petitioner is granted liberty to file a detailed representation and annex all the documents in light of the judgment passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Jigya Yadav (minor)'s case** (Supra).
- 2) Respondent Nos.1 and 2 are directed to decide the said representation as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of the said representation in accordance with law.

17.01.2023

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No