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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-14284-2024

Date of Decision: 01.07.2024

AMRITPAL SINGH

..... Petitioner

Versus

THE REGIONAL PASSPORT OFFICE

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

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

Mr. Prajwal Chauhan, Central Govt. Counsel
for the respondent.

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondent to re-issue passport under non-ECR category. He has been issued passport under ECNR category whereas he claims that he is eligible for non-ECR category.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Mr. Prajwal Chauhan, Central Govt. Counsel accepts notice on behalf of the respondent and waives service.

4. With the consent of both sides, the matter is taken up for final disposal.

5. Mr. Prajwal Chauhan, Central Govt. Counsel submits that petitioner has submitted copy of ITR for assessment year 2023-2024 and said copy is print out of online filing. As per instructions issued by



Government of India, the duly stamped ITR is required.

6. Faced with this, Mr. Bhawesh Chaudhary, Advocate submits that he would submit either ITR duly stamped by Income Tax Officer or get it confirmed from official site of the income tax department to Passport Officer.

7. In the wake of statement of both sides, the present petition stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>