

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-21318-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision:30.09.2024

RAJNI BALAPetitioner

Versus

UNION OF INDIA AND ANOTHER ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

Present : Mr. Vaibhav Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amit Sharma, Senior Panel Counsel
for respondents-UOI.

ALOK JAIN. J.(Oral)

CM-16014-CWP-2024

This is an application under Section 151 of CPC for placing on record
the copy of appeal dated 20.06.2024 (Annexure P-6).

For the reasons mentioned in the application, the same is allowed.
Annexure P-6 is taken on record, subject to all just exceptions.

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1. The present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the
Constitution of India, 1950, in the nature of mandamus, to direct the respondents
to issue fresh passport to the petitioner with correct date of birth i.e. 15.10.1960
instead of 04.11.1959.
2. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the appeal dated
20.06.2024 was not accepted by the authorities concerned, as the petitioner had

failed to deposit the requisite fee and nothing is coming forth to the effect that the said fee has been paid by the petitioner or not.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is ready to pay the fee and let his appeal be permitted to be filed and adjudicated.

4. In the light of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, however, condoning the delay in filing appeal, the present petition is dismissed as withdrawn with a direction to the petitioner to file the appeal along with requisite fee within 01 week from today and the authorities concerned shall decide the appeal in accordance with law.

5. The present petition is dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid directions.

30.09.2024		(ALOK JAIN)
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Whether speaking/reasoned.	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable.	:	Yes/No