



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-30531-2024 (O&M)

Date of Order:21.11.2024

Gurinder Pal Singh

.Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and another

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Tushar Madaan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Gurneet Sagoo, Advocate
for Union of India.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, JUDGE (Oral)

1. The petitioner prays for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to renew his passport, which was applied vide application dated 10.07.2024, because the previous passport elapsed on 01.06.2024.
2. The petitioner's averment is that he is an accused in FIR No.20, dated 09.02.2019, registered under Section 307/342/324/323/34 IPC at Police Station Bulewal, District Hoshiarpur, but he has not disclosed its status. The FIR was registered more than 5 years and 8 months ago.
3. If the court has taken cognizance of an offence, then the petitioner is required to seek permission of the concerned court for issuance of passport and go abroad.
4. The learned counsel representing the respondents submits that the petitioner has never produced any such permission from the court where the criminal trial is pending.



5. At this stage, the learned counsel representing the petitioner submits that he may be permitted to withdraw the writ petition in order to file an application before the appropriate court for getting necessary permission.

6. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn.

7. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

November 21, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No