

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

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**2024:PHHC:008387
CWP No.28066 of 2023
Date of Decision:23.01.2024**

Ajmer Singh

....Petitioner

VS.

Union of India and another

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Vipin Mahajan, Advocate and
Ms. Charanpreet Kaur Ahluwalia, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Shivendra Pal, Central Govt. Counsel
for the Union of India

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. On 14.12.2023, the following order was passed by this Court:-

“The petitioner through the instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondent No. 2 to re-issue him passport.

Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that petitioner was holding passport, which is valid upto 10.10.2029. The petitioner lost his passport on 12.01.2023 and applied for re-issuance, however, passport authority on account of pending FIR, is not re-issuing passport.

The FIR against the petitioner was registered on 25.11.2017 and passport was issued on 11.10.2019 i.e. after registration of FIR. The police till date, has not filed its report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. The case of the petitioner is covered by judgment of this Court in Mohan

Lal @ Mohna vs. Union of India and others 2023 SCC Online P&H 1391.

Notice of motion, returnable for 23.01.2024.

Learned counsel for Union of India, who on advance notice is present in Court, seeks time to get instructions.

To be shown in the Urgent List.”

2. Mr. Shivendra Pal, Central Government Counsel for Union of India submits that application of the petitioner is under process and it would be adjudicated within six weeks from today.

3. In the wake of statement of counsel for Union of India, the petition stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

23.01.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes
Whether reportable: Yes/No