

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2025 PHHC 149859



(126)

CRM-M-29489-2024 (O&M)
Decided on : 31.10.2025

Simranpreet Singh Baweja

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUMEET GOEL

Present: Mr. Nandan Jindal, Advocate for
Mr. Pankaj Bains, Advocate for the petitioner (s).

Mr. Amit Kumar Goyal, Addl. AG, Punjab
for respondent No.1.

Mr. Narinder S. Lucky, Advocate for respondent No.2.

Sumeet Goel (Oral):

1. The substantive prayer made in the instant petition reads thus:

“It is, therefore, most respectfully prayed before this Hon'ble court may be pleased to quash the order dated 24.05.2024 (Annexure P-5) passed by Ld. JMIC, Jalandhar in CRM-324/2024 whereby the application for release of passport filed by petitioner was dismissed, even after the matter has been compromised between the petitioner and respondent.”

2. During the course of hearing, learned counsel for the rival private parties have brought to the notice of this Court the order dated 03.03.2024 passed by learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Jalandhar, which reads thus:

*“Present: Sh. VIKAS BHARDWAJ, Advocate for the applicant
Complainant Ajay Kumar in person.*

Today complainant Ajay Kumar appeared in person and has suffered a statement that he has got no objection if the application for granting the permission to release the passport of applicant namely Simranpreet Singh is allowed as the compromise has been effected between him and the applicant. In view of the statement

made by complainant, let case be put up on 10.04.2024 for consideration.

*Date of Order: 30.03.2024
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*(Dr. Gagandeep Kaur)
Chief Judicial Magistrate
UID NO. PB00303”*

3. Learned counsel for the rival private parties have also submitted that the complainant has also entered into a compromise with the petitioner (herein).
4. In view of the above, this Court finds no impediment in granting the petition in hand and directing for release of passport of the petitioner- Simranpreet Singh Baweja. The Court concerned is directed to release the passport to the petitioner upon showing due identification.
5. Petition stands disposed of, accordingly.

October 31, 2025
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(SUMEET GOEL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes/No
Whether Reportable :	Yes/No