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

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Date of Decision: 25.08.2025**

Baljot Singh and another (Minors), Through MotherPetitioners

Versus

Union of India and othersRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGERPresent : Mr. Bhriugu Dutt Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioners.

HARSH BUNGER, J. (Oral)

The instant Writ Petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India *inter alia* seeking a writ in the nature of Mandamus for directing respondent No.2 to decide the statutory appeals (Annexures P-9 and P-10), submitted by both the petitioners separately, challenging order dated 25.03.2025 (Annexures P-7 and P-8) passed by the Regional Passport Officer, Jalandhar, whereby the passport applications submitted by the petitioners had been dismissed.

2. On advance service of copy of petition, Mr. Himanshu Bindal, Senior Panel Counsel appears on behalf of the respondents/Union of India.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the respondents/Union of India submits that the statutory appeals (Annexures P-9 and P-10), submitted by the petitioners, are presently pending consideration before the appellate authority and in all probability, the same would be decided by the concerned authority by way of passing a speaking order, within a period of two months



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from today, after affording due opportunity of hearing to the concerned parties.

- 4. Learned counsel for the petitioners does not raise any objection to the aforesaid course of action being adopted.
- 5. In view of the aforesaid submissions made by learned counsel for the respondents, the present writ petition is disposed of accordingly.
- 6. All pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

25.08.2025
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(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE

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