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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 09.04.2026

Mandeep Singh @ Bau

....Petitioner

Vs.

Union of India and another

....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. Sarbjit Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARSH BUNGER J. (Oral)

1. Petition herein is, *inter alia*, seeking a writ in the nature of *Mandamus*, for directing the respondent No.2-Regional Passport Officer, Amritsar to issue the passport to the petitioner.

2. At this stage, Ms. Sehaj Sandhawalia, Advocate and Mr. Nirmaljit Singh Diwana, Sr. DAG, Punjab appear on behalf of respondent-UOI and respondent-State respectively, in pursuance of the advance copy of paper book having already been supplied to them. Learned counsel for respondent-UOI informs the Court that the application for issuance of the passport submitted by the petitioner already stands closed on 12.08.2025 as the petitioner had failed to supply the documents which were sought from him.

3. Faced with this situation, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he may be permitted to withdraw the instant writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to submit a fresh application for issuance of the passport duly supported by relevant information/documents.



- 4. Ordered accordingly.
- 5. It goes without saying that if the petitioner submits a fresh application duly supported by relevant information/documents, the same shall be considered by the passport authority, in accordance with law.
- 6. The present writ petition is, accordingly, disposed of, in the aforesaid terms.
- 7. All the pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

09.04.2026

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Whether speaking/reasoned:

Whether reportable:

(HARSH BUNGER)

JUDGE

Yes/No

Yes/No