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

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**CWP-13929-2026 (O&M)**  
**Date of Decision: 06.05.2026**

Parveen Kumar Garg

..... Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER**

Present: Mr. Rahul Gautam, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kinshuk Nanda, Central Government Counsel  
for respondents No.1 and 2.

Mr. Nirmaljit Singh Diwana, Senior DAC, Punjab.

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**HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)**

Petition herein is, *inter alia*, seeking a writ in the nature of Mandamus, directing the official respondents to issue passport to the petitioner and quash the letter dated 23.01.2026 (Annexure P-5) issued by the Regional Passport Office, Chandigarh.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the outset, submits that he may be permitted to withdraw the instant writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to avail the remedy of appeal in terms of Section 11 of the Passports Act, 1967.

3. Keeping in view the aforesaid submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the present writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn with the liberty aforesaid.

4. All pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

**06.05.2026**

*Apurva*

**(HARSH BUNGER)**  
**JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/No