



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

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CWP-14723-2026

Date of Decision: 12.05.2026

KAMALJEET SINGH AND ANR.

...Petitioners

Vs.

THE STATE OF U T CHANDIGARH AND ANR.

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- Mr. Anmol Rattan S. Dhillon, Advocate
for the petitioners

Mr. Ankul Lal, Addl. Standing Counsel with

Mr. Karanvir Singh, Jr. Panel Counsel

for respondent-U.T. Chandigarh

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioners through instant petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India are seeking direction to respondent No.2-Deputy Commissioner-cum-Registrar, UT Chandigarh to decide appeal No.01/2025 dated 03.03.2025 in a time bound manner.

2. The petitioner No.1 was lawfully married to one Jaskiran Kaur on 26.04.2007. Their marriage came to be dissolved by way of divorce decree dated 08.03.2017. The permanent care, custody and guardianship of both the minor sons was entrusted to petitioner No.1 who solemnized second marriage with petitioner No.2 pursuant to which petitioner No.2 agreed to adopt the children. They executed an Adoption Deed dated 18.12.2024 which was presented before Sub-Registrar, UT

Chandigarh who vide order dated 31.12.2024 refused the same on the ground that the child to be adopted is above the age of 15 years and there is no consent from the biological mother. They filed appeal dated 03.03.2025 against order dated 31.12.2024 before respondent No.2- Deputy Commissioner-cum-Registrar, UT Chandigarh which has not been decided till date.

3. Learned counsel for respondent assures the Court that petitioners' appeal would be decided within two months from today.
4. Learned counsel for the petitioners agrees to the aforesaid statement.
5. In the wake of statement of both sides, the petition stands disposed of.
6. Pending application(s), if any, stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

May 12, 2026
Deepak DPA

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No