



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-15659-2026 (O&M)
Date of decision:19.05.2026

Baj Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. Baljeet Singh Dhaliwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the instant writ petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing respondent No.1 to re-issue the passport of the petitioner.

2. Mr. Amit Sharma, Senior Panel Counsel, appears on behalf of respondent No.1-Union of India, in pursuance of the advance copy of paper book having already been supplied to him and submits that the case of the petitioner would be covered as per the observations made by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in *“Mohan Lal @ Mohna Vs. Union of India and others”, 2023 SCC Online P&H 1391* and since the application submitted by the petitioner for re-issuance of the passport is pending consideration before the passport authority, the same shall be considered in terms of the observations made in case of *Mohan Lal @ Mohna* (supra) and final decision shall be rendered (as the circumstances may warrant) within a period of six weeks from today.



3. Keeping in view the aforesaid stand taken by learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No.1-Union of India, no further order is required to be passed in the present writ petition and the same is disposed of accordingly.

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

19.05.2026
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(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE

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