

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

**CRM No.M-11578 of 2016
Date of Decision: April 05, 2016**

Gurpreet Singh **Petitioner**

vs.

State of Punjab and others **Respondents**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present: Mr. Dinesh Trehan, Advocate for the petitioner.

- 1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment?*
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?*
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Kuldip Singh J.(Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was accused in a criminal complaint titled as “Jagdev Singh vs Gumail Singh etc.” Now, before the National Lok Adalat, held on 12.12.2015, the said complaint was withdrawn as compromised. However, the petitioner was declared proclaimed offender in the said complaint. Now the police is not withdrawing the P.O. order.

This court is of the view that since the complaint before the lower court was dismissed, therefore, the order declaring the present petitioner as proclaimed offender is to be withdrawn by the same court.

Let the petitioner file appropriate application before the same court for withdrawing the P.O. order, in view of the dismissal of the complaint and if such application is filed, the lower court shall deal with the same and pass a speaking order on the same.

Accordingly, the present petition stands disposed of.

**(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE**

April 05, 2016
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