

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

**CRM No.M-12802 of 2016
Date of Decision: April 21, 2016**

Harmit Singh

.... Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and another

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present: Mr. H.S. Batth, 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 convicted for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 279 and 304-A IPC. The appeal is pending. Now, the parties have compromised the matter.

The offence punishable under Section 304-A IPC is not compoundable. However, the petitioner is always at liberty to plead the compromise before the first appellate court, which can take it into consideration to show some leniency in the sentence awarded by the lower court.

Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of with the abovenoted observations.

April 21, 2016
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**(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE**