

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-16778 of 2016
Date of Decision: 17.05.2016.**

Kuldip Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

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Inderjit Singh, J.

Petitioner has preferred this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for issuance of directions to the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar to suspend the sentence of the petitioner during the pendency of the appeal bearing CRA No.156/2016 filed against the order of conviction dated 17.03.2016 passed by the Court of Ld. Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Amritsar, whereby the petitioner has been convicted for an offence punishable under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner restricts his prayer that his appeal bearing CRA No.156/2016 which is pending before the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar to suspend the sentence of the petitioner be decided expeditiously.

In view of above, Learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar is directed to decide the appeal for suspension of sentence expeditiously, as per law.

With aforesaid direction, this petition stands disposed of.

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

May 17, 2016
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