

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-4529 of 2015
Date of Decision:-18.01.2016**

Amar Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

Gurmeet Singh Butter and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

1. *Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?*
2. *To be referred to reporters or not?*
3. *Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Present:- Mr. Rajesh K. Dadwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Singla, Advocate for
Mr. Sanjiv Gupta, Advocate
for respondent No.1.

Mr. P.S. Madahar, AAG Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for quashing of P.O. order dated 2.1.2015 (Annexure P-3) passed by the Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Nabha in complaint No.109 dated 9.6.2012, titled 'Gurmeet Singh Butter and another vs. M/s G.G.S. Cable Network Pvt. Ltd. and others' filed under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Vide order dated 2.1.2015, when the petitioner failed to appear before the trial Court and the period of 30 days has been elapsed

since the date of proclamation executed against him, the petitioner was declared as proclaimed offender.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that in terms of the order dated 9.3.2015, the petitioner appeared before the Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Nabha and has been admitted on interim bail. He has filed a specific affidavit to the effect that he will regularly attend the trial Court during trial in future and furnished bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that he has complied the order dated 9.3.2015.

In view of the fact that the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has been admitted on interim bail, the present petition is allowed and interim directions issued by this Court vide order dated 9.3.2015 are made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall continue appear before the trial Court to face the trial in accordance with law.

January 18, 2016
Vijay Asija

(*HARI PAL VERMA*)
JUDGE