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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-6067 of 2016 (O/M)

Date of decision : 29.4.2016

Hawa Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Mr. Ajay Kumar Gupta, Advocate, for the petitioner.

1. Whether the Reporters of local newspaper may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not.
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest ?

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KULDIP SINGH J. (ORAL)

The petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No. 1230 dated 18.12.2013, registered under Section 135 of Indian Electricity (Supply) Act, 2003, at Police Station I and PPS, Rewari.

The learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner cannot be made vicariously liable and that the meter was not within the premises of the petitioner.

The petitioner is relegated to raise all the available pleas before the lower Court at the time of framing of charge. This Court cannot go into the merits of the case at this stage, so as to pre-judge the case. Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to raise all the available at the time of framing of charge.

If such pleas are raised, the lower Court shall pass a speaking order thereon.

(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE

29.4.2016
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