

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA

AT CHANDIGARH

CRR No.2481 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of decision: 15.01.2016

Jaswinder Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr.Justice Kuldip Singh

Present: Mr.Ramesh Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr.Ashish Sanghi, DAG Punjab

- 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)

Vide judgment of conviction and order of sentence dated 7.7.2012, learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Nakodar convicted the petitioner for the offence punishable under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, as his cheque of Rs.four lac issued in favour of the complainant was bounced. He was sentenced to undergo imprisonment for 1 ½ years and fine of Rs.4000/-. In default thereof, he was to further undergo imprisonment for 1 ½ months. Appeal filed by the petitioner was dismissed by the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Jalandhar vide judgment dated 29.4.2015.

The limited prayer in the present revision is for reduction

of the sentence. In the present case, cheque was for Rs.four lacs.

Nothing has been re-paid till date.

Considering all the facts and circumstances, there is no ground to show any leniency to the petitioner.

Consequently, the present revision is dismissed.

15.01.2016

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**(Kuldip Singh)
Judge**