

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

CRR No.2709 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision: August 23, 2016

Gaganjeet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Srawaan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Varun Sharma, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Daljeet S.Jaswal, Advocate for respondent No.2.

INDERJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

File put up after lunch.

The receipt regarding deposit of 15% of the cheque amount has been produced, which is taken on record.

The parties have already compromised the matter. Learned counsel for respondent No.2 states that he has no objection if the offence is compounded in this case on the basis of compromise.

In view of the compromise effected between the parties and in view of the fact that offence punishable under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act, is compoundable, therefore, the judgment of conviction and order of sentence dated 15.12.2015 passed by learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Sri Muktsar Sahib and judgment dated 19.07.2016 passed by learned First Appellate Court, Sri Muktsar Sahib are set aside in view of the lawful composition of the offence.

Petitioner/accused Gaganjeet Singh is acquitted of the charge accordingly and he be set at liberty forthwith, if his custody is not required in connection with any other case.

Disposed of accordingly.

August 23, 2016
parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	No
Whether Reportable	:	No