

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.20839 of 2015
Date of Decision:07.04.2016

Parshottam DassPetitioner
Versus
Lok Adalat and others Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN

Present: Mr.Kashish Garg, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr.Tarun Singla, Advocate, for respondents No.2 & 3.

RAKESH KUMAR JAIN, J. (ORAL)

This petition is filed for modification of the order dated 30.5.2015, passed by the Presiding Officer, Lok Adalat, Bathinda, which read as under: -

“File is taken up in Lok Adalat. Parties already suffered statement that matter has been compromised and copy of compromise is Ex.CX. In view of this statement, present case stands dismissed as withdrawn. Parties shall remain bound by terms of compromise. File be consigned to record room. Court fees of any be refunded.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that while adjudicating the *lis* between the parties, based upon compromise, the Lok Adalat should have disposed of the matter instead of ordering ‘dismissed as withdrawn’ because if the case is withdrawn then the decree would be prepared for withdrawal of the case on the basis of compromise.

The argument raised by counsel for the petitioner has substance and thus, the order dated 30.5.2015 is hereby modified to the extent that *“in view of this statement, present case stands disposed of. Parties shall remain bound by terms of compromise. File be consigned to record room. Court fees of any be refunded.”*

Disposed of.

07.04.2016

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(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE