

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

**COCN No. 3106 of 2016 in
CRM-M No. 35047 of 2016
Date of Decision: 15.02.2017**

Vinod Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

J.S. Aulakh, Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Gursimran Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Nilesh Bhardwaj, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner-Vinod Kumar, had filed petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, bearing CRM-M No. 35047 of 2016, for issuance of directions to the respondents for arresting the accused-persons named in FIR No. 35, dated 20.02.2015, for offences under Sections 406, 420 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station PAU, Ludhiana, as they have been absconding from last more than one and a half years. The said petition was disposed of by this Court vide order dated 29.09.2016 (**Annexure P-1**) with the following operative directions:-

“In the circumstances, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana is directed to decide the representation dated 16.04.2016 (Annexure P-2), moved by petitioner by passing a speaking order within a period of three weeks from the receipt of certified copy of the order.”

Since the needful was not done within stipulated time, hence the present contempt petition.

At the time of hearing, learned State Counsel submits that in compliance of the order dated 29.09.2016 **(P-1)**, a speaking order dated 14.11.2016, deciding the representation dated 16.04.2016 of the petitioner, has been passed, therefore, no further action is warranted. A photocopy of the said order dated 14.11.2016, submitted by State Counsel in Court today, is taken on record, and also supplied to the counsel for petitioner.

In response, learned counsel for the petitioner concedes that the present petition has become infructuous.

Accordingly, present contempt petition stands dismissed as infructuous.

February 15, 2017
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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No