

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

**CRA-S-3229-SB-2018(O&M)
Date of Decision: 14.12.2018**

Mahesh Chand

....Appellant

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: None for the appellant(s).

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, A.A.G., Haryana.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J

Today application for suspension of sentence was filed but there is no representation on behalf of the appellant.

Main appeal taken up for hearing as there is another appeal listed today filed by the present appellant through the legal aid counsel which was filed first in point of time. The Registry was asked to offer an explanation as to how a second appeal could be entertained relating to the same accused challenging the same judgment. The report given by the Registry Judicial is not satisfactory. All persons who were dealing with the file have shifted the blame on one another.

There is another aspect which escaped notice of the Branch. The power of attorney which had been appended along with the appeal was not signed by the accused. The name of the accused was also incorrectly mentioned. The power of attorney bears the thumb impression of one Narender S/o Nand Kishor.

In the light of this, the appeal cannot be entertained as there is already an appeal which stands admitted and this appeal stands disposed of as there cannot be two appeals on behalf of same person.

December 14, 2018

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No