

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

Crl. Misc. No. M-13937 of 2018

Date of Decision: 05.04.2018

Sarabjit Singh

.....Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondent

BEFORE:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present:- Mr. Vishwajit Bedi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seeks quashing of order dated 16.08.2016 whereby he has been declared a proclaimed offender.

It is the contention of learned counsel for the petitioner that vide order dated 29.02.2016 (Annexure P-4), this Court had permitted the petitioner to put in appearance before the trial Court subject to payment of ₹ 10,000/- as compensation to the complainant therein. Thereafter, his counsel did not inform him of the said order resulting in the impugned order.

The contention cannot be accepted for the reason that the petitioner was aware of the proceedings pending before the trial Court and yet remained silent for over 2 years before approaching this Court.

There is no merit in the petition and accordingly the same is dismissed.

April 05, 2018
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(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes
Whether referred to Reporters : No