

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

CRM-M No. 31107 of 2018

DATE OF DECISION :- August 29, 2018

Raj Kumar alias Laddu

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present:- Mr. Varun Dutt Attri, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. G.B.S. Gill, Advocate for the complainant.

Learned State counsel has submitted that petitioner has been declared a proclaimed offender by Chief Judicial Magistrate, Mansa vide order dated 27.08.2018. A copy of that order has been placed on record. It being so, the present petition cannot survive since in view of settled law by the apex Court in Lavesh versus State (NCT of Delhi) 2012(4) R.C.R. (Criminal) 240, 'State of Madhya Pradesh versus Pradeep Sharma 2014(1) R.C.R. (Criminal) 269'. The accused who has been declared an absconder is not entitled to pre arrest bail. Therefore, the petition stands dismissed.

**(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE**

August 29, 2018

p.singh

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No