

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

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CRM No.M-6948 of 2018
Date of decision:19.2.2018

Surinder Kumar

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH.

Present: Mr.P.K.S.Phulka, Advocate, for the petitioner

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AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

Whatever be the merits of the case against the petitioner as regards the FIR registered against him, the fact remains that he did not appear before the trial Court on numerous occasions, leading to him eventually having been declared to be a proclaimed offender on 3.11.2017.

That being so and the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Bathinda, while dismissing the petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. already having directed the learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate to consider the bail application of the applicant-accused immediately, I so no further reason to interfere with this petition.

Consequently, this petition is dismissed, with directions issued by the learned Additional Sessions Judge kept intact. The only modification would be that the petitioner would now be permitted to surrender before the trial Court within 5 days, i.e. 24.2.2018.

19.2.2018
pk**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)**
JUDGEWhether speaking/reasoned
Whether ReportableYes/No
Yes/No