

CRM-M-2751-2019 (O&M)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

**CRM-M-2751-2019 (O&M).
Decided on : September 20, 2019.**

Ajit

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

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**PRESENT Mr.V.P.Sangwan, Advocate, for
for the petitioner.**

Mr.Anmol Malik, AAG, Haryana.

**Mr.M.S.Rana, Advocate,
for respondent No.3.**

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ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Respondent No.2 has been served, however, no one is
appearing.

The following short question arises for consideration in
the present petition:-

*“Whether the police can take cognizance of the offence
under Section 500 of the Indian Penal Code?”*

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The answer is in the first schedule of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, as per which offence under Section 500 of the Indian Penal Code, is non-cognizable.

Learned counsel for the State submits that offence under Section 167 IPC has also been added in the present case. However, to a pointed question, learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Giriraj, admits that offence under Section 167 IPC, is not against the petitioner.

In view thereof, FIR No.0085 dated 17.3.2018, registered under Sections 500 and 120-B IPC, at Police Station Bhiwani Sahlawas, District Jhajjar, qua the petitioner with respect to offence for which cognizance cannot be taken by the police, shall stand quashed.

The petition is disposed of accordingly.

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

September 20, 2019.
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Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No