

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

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CRM-M-41938-2018

Date of Decision: 10.01.2019

Jai Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN

Present: Mr.Munish Puri, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Kumar Singla, Sr.DAG, Punjab.

Mr.Arun Abrol, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

Shekher Dhawan, J.

Power of attorney filed on behalf of respondent No.2 is taken on record.

The present petition under Section 407 read with Section 482 Cr.P.C. is filed for transfer of case titled “State Vs. Jai Singh” pending at Gurdaspur to any Court at Pathankot.

Learned counsel representing the petitioner contended that the petitioner is a physically handicapped person and as such, his case be transferred to Pathankot.

On query put by this Court, learned counsel for the petitioner fairly conceded that distance from his village to District Courts at Gurdaspur as well as District Courts at Pathankot is almost equal. As such, there is no ground for transfer of his case from Gurdaspur to Pathankot.

During the course of arguments learned counsel for the petitioner contended that his personal appearance before the Court be

exempted.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to move an appropriate application before the learned trial Judge seeking exemption from personal appearance and the said application shall be decided by the learned trial judge expeditiously after hearing the petitioner.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

January 10, 2019
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/ No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/ No