

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

**CRR No.1837-2018 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION:-14.03.2019**

RAJENDER

...PETITIONER...

V.

STATE OF HARYANA

...RESPONDENT...

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN

Present: Mr. S.K. Tripathi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Muthreja, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. R.D. Yadav, Advocate,
for the complainant.

RAMENDRA JAIN, J. (ORAL)

Pursuant to order dated 28.02.2019, petitioner has deposited a sum of ₹1.00 lakh before Id. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Rewari as fine against the loss to the State Exchequer of around ₹25,000/-. Receipt of the same is taken on record. Be tagged at appropriate place.

In view of the above, impugned judgments of conviction passed by both the courts below, holding the petitioner guilty under Section 420 read with Section 120-B IPC, are upheld. The petition, to this extent, is dismissed. However, since the petitioner has adequately compensated the State exchequer against the offence committed by him, therefore, order of sentence dated 09.09.2017 is modified to the extent that sentence awarded

to the petitioner is reduced from three years to the period already undergone. The petitioner shall be released forthwith, if not required in any other case.

Present petition is disposed of as such.

14.03.2019
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(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE

whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
whether reportable:	Yes/No