

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

CRM-M-39024-2018

Date of Decision:-10.07.2019

JAGTAR SINGH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Nandan Jindal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

Learned State counsel has informed that as on date 22 out of 25
PWs have already been examined.

Faced with the aforesaid factual position, learned counsel for
the petitioner submits that he may be permitted to withdraw the petition at
this stage.

In view of the aforesaid submission, the petition stands
dismissed as withdrawn at this stage.

The trial Court is directed to expedite the conclusion of trial and
to make efforts to conclude the trial expeditiously preferably within a period
of one month from today provided the accused renders cooperation in the
proceedings of the trial.

Since the petitioner has expressed apprehension that a *de novo* trial would be started when the other co-accused is arrested, the trial Court is directed to consider the segregation of the trial before passing any such order.

10.07.2019
Gaurav Sorot

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned / speaking? Yes / No

Whether reportable? Yes / No