

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

CRM-M-43110-2019

Date of decision: November 15, 2019

Reeva Gujral

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Saurabh Bajaj, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Grewal, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Aditya Sanghi, Advocate
respondent No.2.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for quashing of the order dated 20.9.2019 passed by the trial Court vide which the petitioner has been declared a proclaimed offender and further direction was issued to register an FIR under Section 174-A IPC.

Vide order dated 14.10.2019, the petitioner was directed to appear before the trial Court with a direction that he be released on interim bail. Further direction was issued that in case no FiR under Section 174-A IPC is registered as of date, the operation of the impugned order dated 20.9.2019 shall remain stayed.

Reply by way of affidavit of DSP, Bhiwani-II filed in the Court today and as per the same, the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and the case is now fixed for 25.11.2019 for further proceedings.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Sandeep has further stated that till date no FIR under Section 174-A IPC has been registered.

Considering the grounds taken by counsel for the petitioner showing his *bonafide* in not appearing before the Court and also in view of the fact that in compliance of order dated 14.10.2019, the petitioner has already appeared before the trial Court and no FIR has been registered till date, the present petition is allowed and impugned order dated 20.9.2019 declaring the petitioner as a proclaimed person and for issuance of directions to register an FIR under Section 174-A IPC, is set aside.

November 15, 2019
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(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No