

CRM-M-19539 of 2017

**Date of Decision: 24.02.2020**

Ajay Kumar

.... Petitioner

## Versus

## State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR**

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Davinder Bir Singh, DAG, Punjab.

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**JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (ORAL)**

This petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No. 36 dated 01.04.2017 registered under Sections 363, 366-A IPC at Police Station Sadar Faridkot (Annexure P-1).

No one has put in appearance today on behalf of the petitioner. Same was the situation on the last date of hearing. A Coordinate Bench of this Court had adjourned the case giving an opportunity to the counsel for the petitioner to address the arguments on the next date, failing which the petition would be dismissed for non prosecution.

The reply as filed by way of affidavit of Sh. Jastinder Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Faridkot, District Faridkot on behalf of respondent No. 1-State of Punjab is available on the record, in which it has been categorically stated that initially the cancellation report had been prepared which was not accepted by SSP Faridkot with a direction to carry on further investigation. On

investigation, it was found that the prosecutrix daughter of the complainant was a minor as on the date of the appearance and therefore, her consent would not be of any relevance.

In view of the fact that there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner and on the basis of the detailed reply filed, this Court finds no ground to quash the instant petition.

Dismissed.

**(JAISHREE THAKUR)**  
**JUDGE**

24.02.2020  
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