

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

CRR-1143 of 2020

Date of Decision: September 24, 2020

Sapna ... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and ...Respondents
another

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present : Mr. Nihul Pratap Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Baljinder Virk, DAG, Haryana.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing on account of outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

During the course of hearing the two sides and perusal of the records, it is apparent that present revision has come about whereby an order dated 16.03.2020 passed by the learned Addl. Sessions Judge, Faridabad whereby child in conflict with law has been forwarded before the learned Principal Magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board, Faridabad.

Since in terms of Section 15 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 (hereinafter to be

referred as 'the Act'), it is Board, which is supposed to decide if the child in conflict with law is to be tried as an adult or not and which order gives the petitioner a *locus standi* to challenge such proceedings and, thus, the present petition at this juncture being premature does not lie.

The revision stands disposed off accordingly.

However, the petitioner shall be at liberty to challenge any orders passed under Section 15 of the Act by the Board.

September 24, 2020

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)

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JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No