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

CRM-M-50423-2021 (O&M)  
Date of decision : 09.12.2021

Sonia

...Petitioner

Versus

Shekher Wadhwa and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL**

Present: Mr. Onkar Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)**

This is a petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. for quashing of impugned orders dated 09.10.2019 (Annexure P-25) and dated 18.12.2019 (Annexure P-27) vide which the application for recording the statement of the petitioner at the stage of post charge evidence has been dismissed alongwith costs imposed upon the petitioner. A further prayer has been made to allow the petitioner to record her statement in post charge evidence in Complaint case No.311/08 dated 08.11.2007 titled as Sonia Versus Shekhar Wadhwa and others under Sections 166, 167, 201, 218, 420, 427, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, pending before the Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Panipat.

Faced with the fact that the similar order dated 18.09.2018 passed by the Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Panipat, vide which the

post charge examination of the petitioner had been refused by the Court, was challenged by the petitioner by way of filing a petition bearing CRM-M-3223-2019 and was thereafter withdrawn without seeking any liberty to file fresh petition, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission of this Court to withdraw the present petition with liberty to take up all the points as raised in the present petition during the course of trial.

In view of the above, the present petition is dismissed as withdrawn with liberty aforesaid.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has further submitted that costs of Rs.10,000/- had been imposed upon the petitioner out of which, she has already deposited Rs.5,000/- and it is prayed that the petitioner may kindly be exempted from paying the remaining costs of Rs.5,000/-.

In view of the fair conduct of learned counsel for the petitioner in pursuing the present matter before this Court, this Court exempts the petitioner from paying the remaining costs of Rs.5,000/- out of the total costs of Rs.10,000/- imposed upon the petitioner, if not already paid.

**09.12.2021**

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**(VIKAS BAHL)  
JUDGE**

**Whether speaking/reasoned:-                      Yes/No**

**Whether reportable:-                                      Yes/No**