

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

CRM-M-29370-2021

DECIDED ON: 23rd AUGUST, 2021

NAVJOT SINGH @ JOTA

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Tarun Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

[1] The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

[2] This is a petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for setting aside the order dated 8th June, 2017 whereby petitioner was declared as Proclaimed Offender [hereinafter 'P.O.'], in FIR No. 48, dated 28th February, 2015, under Sections 323, 324 read with 34 IPC, registered at Police Station City Ferozepur, District Ferozepur.

[3] As per the pleadings the petitioner was not aware of the proceedings. The co-accused have been acquitted. The matter has been compromised.

[4] On 29th July, 2021 the petitioner was directed to appear before the Court concerned and in the meantime the arrest of the petitioner was stayed. However, a liberty was granted to the court concerned to impose

appropriate conditions, if so required to ensure the presence of the

petitioner during trial.

[5] To show that in compliance of order dated 29th July, 2021 petitioner appeared before the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ferozepur, learned counsel for the petitioner has sent through electronic medium a copy of order dated 3rd August, 2021. Print out of the same is taken on record.

[6] In view of above, the order dated 8th June, 2017 is set aside. The petitioner shall appear before the court concerned on the next date of hearing i.e. 8th September, 2021 and the court shall put conditions as required for ensuring the presence of the petitioner, further.

[7] The petition is disposed of.

23rd AUGUST, 2021

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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*