

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

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CRM-M-39923-2021

Date of decision : 24.09.2021.

Surjit Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

Baljeet Singh and another

.. Respondents

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, Advocate for the petitioner.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been convicted for an offence punishable under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 and his appeal thereagainst is pending adjudication before the Appellate Court. The petitioner has also filed the application for suspension of sentence on 05.01.2021 and the same has not been decided as yet. He also contends that he is confining the prayer in this petition to expeditious disposal of his application for suspension of sentence.

Without expressing anything on the merits of the case and in view of the limited prayer of the petitioner, the petition is disposed of without issuance of notice to the respondents. The Appellate Court is directed to consider and decide the application of the petitioner for suspension of sentence expeditiously in accordance with law.

**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

September 24, 2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No