

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

CRM-M-34527-2020 (O&M)

Date of decision: 17.02.2021

Surjit Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr. Hoshiar Singh, Advocate for
Mr. Kuldip Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. J.S. Ghuman, DAG, Punjab.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (Oral)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the trial is at fag end inasmuch as the prosecution has concluded its evidence and now the next date of hearing fixed in the trial Court is 18.02.2021. He has contended that under the circumstances, he be permitted to withdraw the instant petition, however, a direction be issued to the trial Court to conclude the trial expeditiously.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

The trial Court is directed to conclude the trial expeditiously by giving short adjournments, refusing to grant adjournment except for justifiable reasons, which are to be recorded in the order. Of course, no unnecessary adjournment would be asked on behalf of the accused, if trial is to proceed expeditiously. The necessary exercise be completed preferably within a period of 03 months from the date of receipt of copy of order there.

17.02.2021

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**(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No