

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

CRM-M-51880-2021

Date of decision : 13.12.2021

Tripta Taneja and Anr.

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and Anr.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Ishan Gupta, Advocate for the petitioners.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Matter has been taken up through video conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

After arguing for sometime, learned counsel for the petitioners prays for permission to withdraw the present petition with liberty to avail the remedy before the trial Court as per law. He has requested for the grant of exemption to the petitioners from the personal appearance before the trial Court as they are parents-in-law and are old aged person.

I find this request to be genuine one. In case, the petitioners file an application for exemption from their personal appearance before the trial Court, the trial Court is directed to consider the same subject to the petitioners filing affidavit to the following effect:-

1. That petitioners will have no objection if the statements of

witnesses are recorded in their absence but in the presence of their counsel.

2. That they will appear before the trial Court as and when required to do so by it.

3. That they will abide by any other condition imposed by the trial Court while granting them exemption from personal appearance.

In view of the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners, the present petition is disposed of with liberty to avail his remedy before the trial Court as per law.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

13.12.2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No