

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

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CRM-M-8007-2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 15.03.2022

Balwinder Singh Riar Petitioner
Versus
State of Punjab and others Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present:- Mr. Rajinder Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Harsimar Singh Sitta, AAG, Punjab.
(Through Video Conferencing)

ANOOP CHITKARA, J.

Learned State counsel on instructions from SI Kulwinder Singh submits that proclamation order is already dismissed by the co-ordinate Bench of this Court. After that the petitioner had surrendered and was released on regular bail. He further submits that the only prayer in this petition is to arrest the accused because he was declared as proclaimed offender and as such, nothing survives in this petition.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that although the earlier petition bearing CRM-M-37523-2016 filed by the accused for setting aside the proclamation order was dismissed for want of prosecution vide order dated 28.02.2020. Be that as it may, he has surrendered before the trial Court. He further submits that given the entirety of the facts, deliberate attempt was made to delay the trial, he would be satisfied if an order is passed to expedite the trial.

Since the FIR is of 2010, this Court requests the learned trial Court to expedite the trial. No other order is required to be passed in this petition.

The present petition is disposed of. All pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>