

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRR-1223-2022(O&M)
Date of Decision: 02.06.2022

Mohit Enterprises through its proprietor
Rajender Arora
Versus
....Petitioner
....Respondent

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. A.P. Bhandari, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

The respondent has instituted a complaint under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act against the petitioner on account of dishonor of a cheque of Rs.20,000/-. When the petitioner appeared before the Court on 12.05.2022, he moved an application for compounding the offence stating that he is willing to pay the cheque amount. The said application has been dismissed on the ground that the petitioner had not expressed his willingness to pay the cost of litigation and interest on the cheque amount.

Mr. Bhandari, Ld. counsel for the petitioner states that the case is fixed for complainant evidence on 08.06.2022, but the petitioner is willing to return the cheque amount along with interest and reasonable cost of litigation.

In view thereof, the present petition is disposed of giving liberty to the petitioner to appear before the trial Court on the date already fixed i.e. 08.06.2022 with an offer to pay the cheque amount alongwith interest and reasonable cost of litigation.

Disposed of in the above terms.

June 02, 2022
gian (HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking / Reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	Yes / No