

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

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**CRM-M-48690-2017
Date of Decision: 11.05.2022**

GOKAL PARKASH GUPTA AND ANR.

... Petitioners

Versus

**STATE OF PUNJAB THROUGH
INSECTICIDE INSPECTOR BARNALA**

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Rakesh Verma, Advocate &
Mr. Manish Verma, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for quashing of the impugned Complaint No.18 dated 18.03.2018, under Section 3(k)(i), 17, 18, 29 and 33 of Insecticide Rules, 1971 titled as 'State Vs. Parkash Chand & Sons and others', summoning order dated 18.03.2013, pending in the Court of the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Barnala and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioners.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that instant petition has become infructuous inasmuch as the complaint in question as well as all consequential proceedings have since been quashed by the High Court vide order dated 26.02.2018 passed in CRM-M-22611 of 2014.

In view of the above, the instant petition is dismissed for having been rendered as infructuous.

**(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No