

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

**CRM-M-49672-2022
DECIDED ON: 29.10.2022**

MANDIP SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL.

Present: Mr. Parvinder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajiv Verma, DAG, Punjab.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing/setting aside the order dated 16.10.2012 (Annexure P-5), passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, vide which the petitioner has been declared as proclaimed offender in FIR No.98, dated 27.10.2008, under Sections 307, 323, 324, 148, 149 of the IPC (Section 307 IPC deleted later on) and Sections 25, 27, 54 and 59 of the Arms Act (all Sections of Arms Act deleted later on), registered at Police Station Rahon, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar (Annexure P-1).

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is still in abroad and is waiting for an interim protection to be granted to him for enabling him to come back to the country to surrender himself before the jurisdiction of Court of law to face trial.

No ground is made out in view of the fact that the petitioner is regularly absconding and is evading his arrest, since the date of registration of FIR. Till today, neither the petitioner has joined the investigation nor surrender before the Court. On the face of it, it seems that the petitioner is not interested to come back to India and is making efforts to halt and create hindrance in the further proceedings of the Court.

In view of the above, the present petition stands dismissed.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

29.10.2022

Poonam Negi

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