

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

CRM-M-56118 of 2022

Date of Decision: 5th December, 2022

Baljit Singh Sidhu

Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. SPS Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. APS Tung, DAG, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):

This petition is filed seeking quashing of order dated 7.9.2015 passed by Special Judge, Patiala vide which the petitioner has been declared as Proclaimed Offender in FIR No. 44 dated 26.8.2005, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120B IPC and Section 13(i)(d) read with Section 13(2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, registered at Police Station Vigilance Bureau, Patiala.

After arguing for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition. However, a request is made that the petitioner would surrender within three weeks before the court concerned and apply for regular bail, his application be taken up expeditiously.

The petition is disposed of.

In case the petitioner surrenders within three weeks from today before the court concerned and applies for regular bail, the court concerned shall take up the bail application on the same day and decide it as expeditiously as possible.

**[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE**

5th December, 2022

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1. Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes / No
2. Whether reportable	:	Yes / No