

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

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CRR-168-2021

Date of Decision: 14.02.2023

Gagan @ Ajay Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- None for the petitioner

Mr. Amish Sharma, AAG, Punjab
(assisted by ASI Harminder Singh)

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

On 19.09.2022 as well as 23.12.2022, there was no representation on behalf of the petitioner and even today there is no change in the situation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Harminder Singh, submits that vide order dated 14.09.2022, Principal Magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board, Bathinda, has transferred the trial to Children Court, Bathinda and the matter at present is pending before Children Court. The petitioner had filed bail application as juvenile which was dismissed by Principal Magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board, Bathinda. The petitioner preferred an appeal under Section 52 of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 which came to be dismissed vide order dated 02.02.2021. The petitioner has been ordered to be tried as

Child in Conflict with Law by Children Court vide order dated 14.09.2021, thus, present petition is not maintainable.

There is no representation of the petitioner which shows that petitioner has lost his interest to pursue the matter and further in view of statement of learned State counsel, the present petition seems to have rendered infructuous.

Accordingly, dismissed as infructuous.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

14.02.2023
Mohit Kumar

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