

[Neutral Citation No. 2023:PHHC:079799]
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

[212] CRR No.1361 of 2023
Date of Decision: 31.05.2023

ROHIT SINGH @ ROHIT PETITIONER
Versus
STATE OF PUNJAB RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Kushagra Mahajan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramdeep Pratap Singh, Sr. DAG, Punjab
for the respondent-State.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is impugning the order dated 04.05.2023 passed by Ld. Addl. Sessions Judge, Amritsar, vide which his appeal was dismissed on account of delay of 127 days in filing the same. The petitioner is also seeking setting aside of the order dated 16.11.2022 passed by Juvenile Justice Board, Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the delay had occurred due to some unavoidable circumstances including the illness of his father.

Heard.

In view of the above, the impugned order dated 04.05.2023 passed by Ld. Addl. Sessions Judge, Amritsar, is set aside and the delay of 127 days in filing the appeal before the Court below is condoned. The matter is remanded back and the appeal is restored to its original number.

The petitioner is directed to appear before the Court concerned within 10 days from today. On his appearance, the Court concerned shall proceed to decide the appeal of the petitioner expeditiously, in accordance with law.

Disposed of as such.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

31.05.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>