

246 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-37131-2022
DECIDED ON: 3rd MAY, 2023

CHIMAN LAL SINGLA AND ANOTHER

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Bipan Ghai, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Nikhil Ghai, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Mohit Kapoor, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Preetinder S. Ahluwalia, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J. (ORAL)

The jurisdiction of this Court under Section 482 Cr.P.C., has been invoked for quashing of impugned orders of the National Lod Adalat dated 11.12.2021 (Annexure P-1) vide which the order has been passed for the re-investigation of the case and order dated 09.12.2021 passed by learned Magistrate whereby, he referred the matter to National LoK Adalat to be held on 09.12.2021 (Annexure P-2) and FIR No. 110, dated 14.07.2021 (Annexure P-3), under Sections 420 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur and consequent proceedings arising therefrom.

Reply filed on behalf of respondent No.2 is taken on record.

On perusal of impugned order reveals that after adverting to the

statement of the complainant/respondent No.2, cancellation report was declined with a direction to the Investigating Agency to re-investigate the matter.

Learned Senior counsel for the petitioner submits that he would be satisfied if the case be remanded back for passing a fresh order after recording the reasons for accepting/not accepting the cancellation report whatsoever.

The present petition is disposed of, with a direction to the Presiding Officer-cum-Chief Judicial Magistrate, National Lok Adalat, Sangrur to pass a fresh order after recording the reasons in accordance with law.

Disposed off accordingly.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

3rd MAY, 2023
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>