

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

CRM-M-37462-2020

Date of decision :17.05.2023

LAVIT GOYAL

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Jimmy Singla, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Harkanwar Jeet Singh, Asst. A.G., Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of FIR No.131 dated 18.10.2020 under Sections 420, 120-B of IPC, 1860 at Police Station Shambu, District Patiala.

The present petition has been filed for quashing of the aforementioned FIR and notice had been issued on 12.11.2020. Thereafter, the matter had been adjourned from time to time.

Quite apparently, the State has not filed a reply to the present petition till date. However, as the report under Section 173(2) Cr.P.C. has yet not been filed before the Court, I find that the filing of the present petition is premature.

Therefore, this petition is disposed of with the liberty to the petitioner to file a fresh petition if and when a report under Section 173(2) Cr.P.C. is submitted against him.

**(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE**

17.05.2023

JITESH

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No