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210/13 **IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-1094-2020 IN/AND
CROCP-16-2019
DATE OF DECISION: 24.08.2023

COURT ON ITS OWN MOTION

.....PETITIONER

VS.

VIDYA SAGAR

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present: Mr.Ankur Mittal, Amicus Curiae, with
Ms. Kushaldeep Kaur, Advocate,

None for the applicant (in CRM-1094-2020).

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G.S.SANDHAWALIA, J. (ORAL)

1. The present contempt is pending, on account of the contumacious conduct of the respondent Vidya Sagar.

2. As per the last order, the medical report of the respondent, Vidya Sagar dated 10.05.2023, sent by Senior Medical Officer, Incharge, Civil Hospital, Ludhiana, has been received, wherein it is mentioned that the said person was bedridden and being 84 years old, unable to walk. He was semi conscious, not oriented and also unable to speak and move.

3. We have now been informed that he has subsequently, expired on 21.05.2023.

4. Keeping in view the above, we are of the considered opinion that the proceedings against him have abated.

5. Consequently, the present petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

6. Pending miscellaneous application (s), if any, also stand disposed of.

(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

August 24, 2023 **(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)**
nitin **JUDGE**

Whether Speaking Yes/No

Whether Reportable Yes/No