

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-54081-2023

Date of decision: 25.10.2023

M/s Kapoor Cotsyn (India)

....Petitioner

V/s

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Amit Gupta, Advocate for
Mr. Sudhir Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner has moved the instant petition for issuance of directions to the Court below to conclude the trial in criminal complaint bearing No.COMA/6252/2019 as the complaint was instituted under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instructions Act, 1881 on 27.05.2019.

Thereafter, none of the complainant's witnesses has been examined so far.

The assertion made by the learned counsel for the petitioner is also supported by the *zimni* orders produced on record as Annexures P-2/1 to P-2/45.

Notice to the respondent State. At this stage, respondent No.2 is not required to be served.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that at this stage he would be satisfied if an appropriate direction is issued to the trial Court for speedy trial.

Accordingly, the trial Court is requested to process expeditiously in the matter and to decide the trial preferably within a period of one year from today.

In view of the above, the petition stands disposed of.

October 25, 2023
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(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether reportable:	No