

2024:PHHC:004731

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-2100 of 2024
Date of Decision:15.01.2024

Satnam Singh

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUDEEPTI SHARMA

Present: Mr. Dinesh Nagar, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

SUDEEPTI SHARMA, J. (Oral)

1. Vide the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. , the petitioner seeks quashing of the impugned notice dated 18.10.2023 (Annexure P-2), whereby the learned Additional Principal Judge, Family Court, Samana, District Patiala, has directed the officer In-charge of Police Station, Sadar Samana, Patiala to arrest the petitioner on account of non-payment of maintenance amount as conditional arrest warrants, accumulated to the tune of Rs.1,76,000/-.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is a poor person and having no source of income. He further contends that the petitioner is now ready to settle the dispute.
3. On a specific query put by this Court to the learned counsel for the petitioner, as to how much amount can he pay, he specifically stated that the petitioner cannot pay even a single penny out of the awarded amount of Rs.1,76,000/-.

4. In view of the specific stand taken by the learned counsel for the petitioner, since he is not ready to pay any maintenance amount, therefore there is no infirmity in the impugned notice dated 18.10.2023 (Annexure P-2) passed by the learned Additional Principal Judge, Family Court, Samana, District Patiala and it does not require any interference of this Court.
5. Consequently, the present petition is accordingly dismissed.

(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)

JUDGE

January 15, 2024

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Whether speaking : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No