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

CRM M-35492-2014 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 05.03.2024

N.K. Oswal and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

Employees State Insurance Corporation

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: None for the petitioners.

Mr. H.S. Bhatia, Advocate,
for the respondent.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU. J.

Present petition has been filed under Section 482 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for quashing of complaint No.576 of 03.06.2005 titled as “*Employees State Insurance Corporation Vs. M/s Punjab Wool Combers Ltd. and others*” under Section 138 of Negotiable Instrument Act along with all consequential proceedings, including judgment of conviction & order of sentence dated 03.08.2012 (P-2).

2. No one is appearing on behalf of the petitioners. It seems that they have lost interest in the matter.

3. In view of the above, there is no option, except to dismiss the petition for non-prosecution.

4. Ordered accordingly.

5. Learned appellate Court is requested to proceed in the matter expeditiously and progress report be sent to the Registry by 30.04.2024.

6. Needless to say that interim order dated 27.05.2015, extended from time to time, shall come to an end, forthwith.
7. A copy of this order be sent to the learned Appellate Court for necessary action.
8. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed off.

05.03.2024
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No