



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

CRM-M-43097-2023 (O&M)
Date of decision: 05.11.2024

Som Dutt Sharma

...Petitioner

Versus

Amrish Chauhan

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Dr. Rishi Pal Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

CRM-43173-2024

1. This is an application filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C for preponement of the date of hearing in the main case from 28.01.2025 to an early date.

2. For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed and the date of hearing in the main case is preponed from 28.01.2025 to today and the same is taken on board today itself for hearing.

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1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner/complainant under Section 482 Cr.P.C. seeking quashing of impugned order dated 05.08.2023 passed by the Court Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Karnal in criminal complaint bearing No.NACT/2791 of 2022 titled Som Dutt Sharma Vs. Amrish Chauhan whereby the application filed by petitioner under Section 143-A of Negotiable Instruments Act has been



dismissed.

2. In response to notice of motion, today no one has put in appearance on behalf of respondent.

3. After arguing for some time, the counsel for the petitioner made statement that he be permitted to withdraw the present petition but direction be given to the trial Court to decide the aforesaid criminal complaint in an expeditious manner without granting unnecessary adjournments to the opposite party.

4. In light of the above, the present petition is hereby dismissed as withdrawn at this stage. However, direction is given to the trial Court to decide the main criminal complaint No.NACT-2791/2022 titled Som Dutt Sharma Vs. Amrish Chauhan, expeditiously without granting unnecessary adjournments to the parties, while taking into consideration the mandate of Section 143 NI Act.

5. However, it is made clear that while passing the final judgment in the criminal complaint, the trial Court is not to be influenced by any observations made by it in the earlier order dated 05.08.2023 (Annexure P-6) and the main case is to be decided on its own facts and circumstances.

05.11.2024

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**(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

**Whether speaking/reasoned:-
Whether reportable:-**

**Yes/No
Yes/No**