

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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2025:PHHC:159924



CRM-M-41399-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 18.11.2025.

JAWALA SINGH

...Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S HARJEET SINGH RAGHUVANSH SINGH COMMISSION
AGENTS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

PRESENT Mr. Reetesh Kumar, Advocate, for
Ms. Himani Anand, Advocate,
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. J.S. Saneta, Advocate,
for the respondent.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed by the petitioner for seeking setting aside of the impugned order dated 05.09.2023 to the extent whereby the petitioner had been directed to deposit 20% of the cheque amount in appeal bearing CIS No.CRA/267/2023 titled as 'Jawala Singh Vs. M/s Harjeet Singh Raghuvansh Singh', pending before Additional Sessions Judge, Kurukshetra and the order dated 02.08.2024 whereby the application filed by the petitioner for dispensing with the liability to pay 20% of the cheque amount had been dismissed.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent-complainant contends that he would have no objection in case the pre-deposit is not made and the appeal is decided on merits.

In view of the aforesaid concession given by the respondent-complainant, without commenting on the position in law or reflecting on the requirement prescribed and also considering that the object of the pre-requisite deposit is to secure the interests of the complainant himself, the present petition is allowed. The order dated 05.09.2023 to the extent of requiring the petitioner to deposit 20% of the cheque amount and the order dated 02.08.2024 whereby the application filed by the petitioner for dispensing with the liability to pay 20% of the cheque amount had been dismissed are set aside in view of the concession given by the respondent-complainant. The appeal is directed to be decided on merits expeditiously without insisting upon the requirement of pre-deposit.

November 18, 2025.
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No