



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

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CRM-M-45312-2025

Date of Decision : 20.08.2025

GIRDHARI LAL

.... PETITIONER

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB

.... RESPONDENT

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHAS MEHLA

Present :- Mr. Sukhwinder Singh Dhillon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SUBHAS MEHLA, J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that due to mis-communication between the counsel and the petitioner, the petitioner failed to appear before the trial Court and his bail/surety bonds were cancelled and forfeited to the State. The other co-accused is already on bail. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready to surrender himself before the trial Court.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Mr. Subhash Godara, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and submitted that the petitioner has not been declared proclaimed offender in this case and non-bailable warrants have been issued against him.

4. Heard.

5. Keeping in view the above facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner is directed to surrender himself before the trial Court and if he

surrenders before it on the date fixed i.e. 06.09.2025, it will consider his all the pleas raised before this Court and take a lenient view while deciding his application.

Disposed of.

(SUBHAS MEHLA)
JUDGE

20.08. 2025

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