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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH
CRM-M-6456-2023

Dharam Singh and others

....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

Date of Decision: February 17, 2026

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUMEET GOEL

Present: Mr. Baljinder Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Adhiraj Singh Thind, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Rajesh Verma, Advocate for respondent No.2.

SUMEET GOEL, J. (ORAL)

The substantive prayer made in the petition in hand reads thus:

“It is, therefore, respectfully prayed that the present petition may kindly be allowed and FIR No.225 dated 24.12.2022 under section 420, 120-B, 506 IPC, Police Station Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur (Ann. P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising out of the same may kindly be quashed, in the interest of justice.”

2. Learned State counsel, at the outset, has brought to the notice of this Court that the police has presented cancellation report before the concerned Court on 17.07.2023, whereinafter, protection petition filed by the complainant was directed to be treated as complaint, vide order dated 17.02.2025.

3. In view of the above, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he may be permitted to withdraw the petition in hand with liberty to avail his remedy(s), as available in law.
4. Ordered accordingly.
5. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

(SUMEET GOEL)
JUDGE

February 17, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No