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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CROCP-3-2025 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 05-03-2026

COURT ON ITS OWN MOTION

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

NAVJOT SINGH, ADVOCATE

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS SURI

Present: Mr. Narinder S. Lucky, Advocate
along with respondent-Contemnor.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (Oral)

1. The present criminal contempt has been initiated on the basis of the reference received from Sh. Parteek Gupta, Civil Judge, (Junior Division), duly forwarded by the District and Sessions Judge, Jalandhar, regarding unruly and contemptuous conduct of Sh. Navjot Singh, Advocate having enrolment No. P-772-2004 (as per Vakalatnama) in the case titled as ***“Uday Gupta Vs. Ankur Hastir”*** in CS No.78 of 2023.

2. Though, the allegations alleged against the respondent-Contemnor-Navjot Singh needs consideration but at the outset, the respondent-Contemnor appears in person and tenders unconditional apology for his conduct and submits that the same will not be repeated and he will remain careful in future so as to maintain dignity of the Court and the officials working therein.

3. In order to support the unconditional apology, an affidavit has also been filed in the court today. The same is taken on record.

4. Keeping in view the unconditional apology tendered coupled with the remorse of his conduct with a further prayer that this Court should take a lenient view keeping in view the fact that an undertaking has been given in writing not to repeat the same in future, the present contempt petition is disposed of with the warning to remain careful in future and further with the observation that in case any act is done by respondent No-1-Navjot Singh henceforth, not only an action will be taken for the said incident but even the present proceedings will be re-opened to take the proceedings to its logical end.

5. The proceedings stands disposed of accordingly. Rule discharged.

6. Pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand disposed of.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

05-03-2026
Sapna Goyal

(VIKAS SURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No