

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

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CRR-3495-2018

Date of Decision : **September 19, 2022**

JARNAIL SINGH

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

KULBIR SINGH

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN

Present : None for the petitioner.

PANKAJ JAIN. J. (Oral)

On 17.10.2018, the sentence of the petitioner was ordered to be suspended and he was directed to deposit a sum of Rs.2,55,000/- with the High Court Legal Services Committee, Chandigarh within four weeks from the date of order in terms of law down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Damodar S. Prabhu Vs. Sayed Babala, 2010(5) SCC 663**. On 3.12.2018, it was noticed that the amount has not been deposited. Counsel for the petitioner had prayed for two weeks time to make good the deficiency. While granting time, it was made clear that in case the said amount is not deposited on or before the next date of hearing, the petition would be liable to be dismissed and the matter was adjourned to 19.12.2018. On 19.12.2018, again time was sought to comply with the order and the matter was adjourned to 5.2.2019. As per the Office report dated 12.3.2019, no amount was deposited till then.

As per the Office report, the position remained the same throughout. After 12.3.2019, the petitioner had remained unrepresented despite the office report that the counsel for the petitioner stands informed.

In view of the aforesaid fact, there is no justification to keep the present petition pending. There is nothing on record to suggest that the petitioner has complied with the order dated 19.12.2018 and further order dated 3.12.2018.

Consequently, the present petition is dismissed for non-prosecution.

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(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

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