



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

**CRM-M No.11063 of 2017
Date of Decision: 05.02.2025**

Ram Kumar and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: None for the petitioners.

Mr. Dharampal, AAG, Haryana.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed praying for quashing of FIR No.77, dated 26.05.2016 (Annexure P-5), under Section 3 of Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act, 1984 and Section 432 IPC, registered at Police Station Nainushri Chopta, District Sirsa along with all consequential action which is a sheer misuse of process of law and highly illegal and arbitrary FIR as the same deserves to be quashed. Further prayer has been made for staying the proceedings during the pendency of the present petition.

2. Learned State counsel has produced a copy of order dated 31.10.2023 passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Sirsa whereby all the accused have been acquitted of the charges levelled against them. He, on instructions from SI Hansraj has submitted that in



all there were 04 accused in the present case, out of which 03 were acquitted by the learned trial Court vide order dated 31.10.2023 and proceedings qua accused, namely, Ram Kumar were dropped as he died during the pendency of the case. He has submitted that in the facts and circumstances, the present petition is rendered infructuous and thus the same may be dismissed as such.

3. In view of the submission made by learned State counsel, the present petition is dismissed as infructuous.

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**(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

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