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

(241)

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Date of Decision:- 01.09.2025

Rohit Verma

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and Anr.

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

Present: Mr. Raghav Chadha, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sahil Choudhary, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Bhavesh Aggarwal, Advocate for respondent No.2.

ALOK JAIN, J. (Oral)

1. The present 2nd petition has been filed for quashing of the FIR No.45 dated 12.02.2019, under Sections 406, 498A, 506 of IPC, registered at Police Station Women Cell Ludhiana, District Ludhiana Commissionerate.

2. Mr. Raghav Chadha, Advocate appears on behalf of the petitioner and files his power of attorney with no objection from the earlier counsel. The same is taken on record.

2. After having vehemently argued the matter on merits, learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition and seeks permission to withdraw the same. However, he prays that the trial be expedited.

3. Learned counsel for respondent No.2 submits that it is the petitioner who has not been appearing before the trial Court. He further submits that respondent No.2 was present on the last date of hearing,



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whereas the petitioner moved an application seeking exemption from personal appearance and has now been put to notice for **10.09.2025**. Counsel assures that respondent No.2 shall remain present on the said date and shall not procrastinate the trial. It is further submitted that the petitioner shall also ensure his presence so that the trial may be conducted expeditiously.

4. In view of the above, the petition is dismissed as withdrawn without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case. However, the trial Court shall make a positive endeavour to expedite the proceedings and conclude the trial in accordance with law.

September 01, 2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned:-

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:-

Yes/No

(ALOK JAIN)
JUDGE