



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

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CRM-M-29874-2025  
Date of Decision: 27.05.2025

MANDEEP SINGH

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

AMAAN MOHAMMAD AND ANR.

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S.GREWAL

Present: Mr. S.K.Choudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**H.S. GREWAL, J. (ORAL)**

1. This petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C quashing of order dated 24.12.2024 (Annexure P-3) passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Rajpura whereby the petitioner has been declared as proclaimed person in a complaint case bearing No. CIS No. Coma/215/2022 dated 16.04.2022, tiled as "Amaan Mohammad Versus Mandeep Singh", under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 with a further prayer that the operation of the impugned orders dated 24.12.2024 may kindly be stayed.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner could not appear before the trial Court as the notices were issued on the wrong address and he was not aware about the proceedings pending against him under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instrument Act. Thereafter, learned trial Court declared him as a proclaimed person vide order dated 24.12.2024. Hence, the impugned order declaring the petitioner a proclaimed person deserves to be set aside. He further submits that the petitioner is willing to join the proceedings.



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3.            Notice of motion.

4.            On the asking of the Court, Mr. Kamalpreet Bawa, DAG, Punjab. accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

5.            I have heard learned counsel for the parties and gone through the case file.

6.            In view of the limited prayer made by the petitioner, this Court deemed it appropriate to decide the petition, this Court deems it appropriate to decide this case without issuing notice to respondent No.1. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and limited prayer made by the counsel for the petitioner, this Court does not find any legitimate ground to interfere in the impugned order dated 24.12.2024 (Annexure P-3) passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Rajpura. However, in case the petitioner surrenders before the trial Court within 07 days from today and appears at 10:00 A.M, his application for grant of regular bail shall be considered and disposed of by the Court below on the same very day.

7.            Petition stands disposed of.

**27.05.2025**

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**(H.S.GREWAL)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/ reasoned :

Yes/No

Whether Reportable :

Yes/No