

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2021  
(Arising out of SLP(Crl.)No. 6817 of 2021)

NACHHATTAR SINGH

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF PUNJAB

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

Leave granted.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The appellant has been convicted under Section 324 of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment of one year in S.C. No: RT 37 of 26.10.2006 arising from FIR No. 123 dated 03.06.2002 registered at Police Station Baghapurana, District Moga, State of Punjab.

The parties, after the impugned judgment of the High Court sustaining the Conviction and sentence of the appellant, have settled *inter-se*. It is also stated that appellant has already undergone rigorous imprisonment for a period of three and half months. The offence was committed in the year 2002.

Taking overall view of the matter and considering the factual matrix, we are inclined to partly allow this criminal appeal, sustaining the conviction but by modifying the sentence to the period undergone.

The appellant, however, shall pay enhanced fine of Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) which would be deposited with the Trial Court. In default, the appellant would undergo simple imprisonment for one month.

The appeal is partly allowed in the above terms.

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

.....J  
(SANJIV KHANNA)

.....J  
(BELA M. TRIVEDI)

New Delhi  
September 13, 2021

ITEM NO.21                      Court 16 (Video Conferencing)                      SECTION II-B

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 6817/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 01-10-2020 in CRAS No. 59/2007 passed by the High Court Of Punjab & Haryana At Chandigarh)

NACHHATTAR SINGH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF PUNJAB

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.112911/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.112912/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No.112914/2021-INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT and IA No.112913/2021-PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES )

Date : 13-09-2021 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV KHANNA  
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE BELA M. TRIVEDI

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. M.K. Ghosh, Advocate  
Ms. Tina Garg, AOR

For Respondent(s)

Mr. G.S. Bullar, Adv.  
Mr. lakhmer Singh, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appeal is partly allowed in terms of the signed order.

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(DEEPAK SINGH)  
COURT MASTER (SH)

(RAM SUBHAG SINGH)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)

[Signed order is placed on the file]

