CNR No: CHCH030280682023 CIS No: NACT/7638/2023

TECHOLIC VS GURVINDER PAL SINGH @G.P.SINGH etc.

Present: Sh. Amit Jain Advocate for the Complainant.

Accused on bail represented by Counsel Sh. Aashim Rana

Advocate.

File received by transfer in view of order passed by Learned District & Sessions Judge, Chandigarh bearing Endst.No.DSJ-EC-24/6143 dated 12.08.2024. It be checked and registered.

Notice of accusation has been served upon the accused to which he pleaded not guilty and claimed trial. Both the parties have been examined orally after hearing their submissions with regard to instant complaint, this Court is of the considered view that it would not be appropriate to try the instant complaint as an summary case as the matter requires through consideration. For proper adjudication of the matter, the accused need fare opportunity to cross-examine the complainant and would also need opportunity to lead evidence in defence. Considering of this fact, this Court find it properly to try the instant complaint as summons case under Chapter XX of CRPC.

At this stage an application under Section 145 (2) of Negotiable Instrument Act has also been filed by the learned counsel for the accused in view of law passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case titled as Indian Bank Association etc. Versus Union Bank of India cited as 2014 (2) RCR 598. The above said application is moved to giving an opportunity to conduct the cross examination of the complainant and the other witnesses which were previously examined at the stage of preliminary evidence. Instead of filing reply to said application, learned counsel for the complainant, who is present in the court has endorsed no objection on the application itself. Heard. Keeping in view of the cardinal principle of justice as nobody should be condemned without giving him opportunity of being heard and also in view of orally no objection of the counsel for complainant, the present application is allowed, as prayed for. The complainant is directed to supply copy of affidavit filed in preliminary evidence to the accused or his counsel one day in advance to the date fixed. For evidence of complainant, file be put up on 16.10.2024.

Date of Order: 14.08.2024 Maan Singh, Stenographer Gr-II

Jasbeer Singh Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Chandigarh/UID No.PB-0490