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Cr1.A.No. 834 OF 2003
ITEM No.103

Court No.8

SECTION IIA

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

Criminal Appeal No.834 of 2003.

BHIM SINGH Appellant (s)

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA Respondent (s)

Date : 14/01/2004 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE B.N. AGRAWAL
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.P. MATHUR

For Appellant (s) Mr.Naresh Kaushik, Adv.
Ms.Shilpa Chohan, Adv.
Dr.Sushil Balwada, Adv.

For Respondent (s) Mr.DP Singh, Adv.
Mr.VK Garg, Adv.
Ms.Avneet Toor, Adv.

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

Mr.Naresh Kaushik, learned counsel for the appellant commenced his arguments at 11.40 A.M. and concluded at 12.30 P.M. followed by short reply by the learned counsel for the respondent. The appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed order.

[Naresh Kumar] [Kanwal Singh]
AR-cum-PS Court Master
[Signed order is placed on the file.]
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

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BHIM SINGH
...
APPELLANT (S)

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA
...
RESPONDENT (S)

O R D E R

The sole appellant, along with accused Lala @ Rakesh, was convicted by the trial court under Section 376(2)(g) of Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a per

iod of 10 years and to pay fine of Rs.1,000/- each; in default, to undergo further rigorous imprisonment for a period of six months. On appeal being preferred the High Court of Punjab & Haryana while acquitting accused Lala maintained conviction of the appellant but reduced the sentence from ten years to seven years. Challenging the aforesaid conviction and sentence the present appeal has been filed by the appellant.

Having heard the parties, perused the impugned judgment as well as the evidence adduced on behalf of the parties, we are of the view that the two courts have recorded conviction of the appellant after appraisal of evidence and we do not find any ground to interfere with the same. The appeal is accordingly dismissed.

.....J.
(B.N. AGRAWAL)

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(G.P. MATHUR)
New Delhi,
January 14, 2004.