

**HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

**CRM-M-12302-2015
Date of decision:21.04.2015**

Rachhpal Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK

Present: Mr.Amit Jhanji, Advocate for the petitioner.

RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the very outset, fairly states that petitioner is ready and willing to surrender before the learned trial Court. He is not running from the law. However, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the learned trial Court may be directed to consider the bail application of the petitioner sympathetically.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, lest it should prejudice the rights of either of the parties, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the learned trial Court that if the petitioner surrenders before the learned trial Court within a period of ten days from today, his bail application shall be considered sympathetically and he shall be admitted to bail. It is so said, because earlier the petitioner was declared innocent by the investigating agency itself and in this view of the matter, learned counsel for the petitioner seems to be correct in making the submission that petitioner was not running from the law.

With the above-said observations made and directions issued, the present petition stands disposed of.

**21.04.2015
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**(RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK)
JUDGE**