

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

CRM-M-32771 of 2015(O&M)
Date of decision : 16.11.2015

Harbans Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate for
Mr. A. S. Cheema, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab
assisted by HC Balwant Singh

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (for short, 'the Cr.P.C.') seeking regular bail in case FIR No.108 dated 06.07.2015, registered under Sections 326/324/34 of the Indian Penal Code (for short 'IPC') and Section 326 IPC (added lateron), at Police Station Mour, District Bathinda.

Custody certificate has been filed in the Court, is taken on record.

The learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is in custody since 10.07.2015 and the challan stands

presented. The solitary injury is attributed to the petitioner. The age of the petitioner is about 60 years and he is not involved in any other FIR.

On the other hand, the learned State counsel, on instructions, states that the injury attributed to the petitioner is grievous in nature and opposes the bail.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties and perused the record.

Keeping in view the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 10.7.2015; challan stands presented and out of 19 witnesses only one witness i.e. complainant has been examined so far, therefore, it can be safely inferred that the trial is not likely to be concluded in the near future.

In view of above, without adverting to the merits of the instant case, this petition is allowed. The petitioner be admitted to bail during the pendency of the trial, on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds, to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Anything said herein above shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

16.11.2015

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE