

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

CRM-M-5924 of 2015

Decided on: March 02, 2015.

Bakhshish Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

Present: Mr. Avtar Singh Bhatti, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Inqulab Nagpal, AAG, Punjab.

M.M.S. BEDI, J (ORAL)

After dismissal of the first application for bail, the petitioner has filed the present second petition for bail. It was earlier ordered that after examination of complainant Rajwant Kaur, it will be open to the petitioner to approach this Court again.

It has been informed by learned counsel for the State that Rajwant Kaur and Amarjit Singh have already been examine-in-chief, but the cross-examination is being deferred on account of non-cooperation on the part of the defence. The further examination of the witnesses is being delayed only on account of conduct of the petitioner and his counsel.

Taking into consideration the fact that the petitioner has been in custody w.e.f. 09.12.2013, this petition is disposed of with a direction that trial Court shall make earnest endeavour to complete the recording of the prosecution witnesses within a period of three months after the next date of hearing. In case the entire evidence of the prosecution is not recorded within said period, the trial Court shall release the petitioner on bail on his

furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to its satisfaction. It is made clear that in case the delay is caused on the part of the petitioner, this order will not be operative in favour of the petitioner.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

March 02, 2015
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