

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

(205)

CRM-M-10396-2016

Decided on: July 26, 2016.

Rakesh Kumar Sharma

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

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

Present: Mr. A.S. Kakkar, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, DAG, Punjab.

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

Petitioner is allegedly responsible for the shortage which also includes the calculation of shortage for less excess on account of driage and shrinkage.

Co-accused of the petitioner similarly circumstanced, have been granted concession of pre-arrest bail. The exclusive liability of the petitioner will certainly be a debatable issue during course of trial.

The petition is allowed. It is ordered that in case of arrest of petitioner, he will be released on bail to the satisfaction of the arresting officer subject to the conditions that he will join investigation as and when required and will not tamper with the evidence or hamper the investigation in any manner and will not commit similar offence of which he is accused of, during the entire period of trial.

**(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE**

July 26, 2016

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Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No