

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M- 1762 of 2016
Date of decision : 05.02.2016**

Jai Karan @ Tony

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. Chanderhas Yadav, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, AAG, Haryana.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J.

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 782 dated 03.08.2015, registered under Sections 346, 363, 366-A, 343, 506, 120-B IPC and Section 4, 12 of POCSO Act, Police Station Jhajjar, District Jhajjar.

Heard.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that the prosecutrix was missing since 03.08.2015 and a missing report was lodged by the brother and therein it was stated that she had gone on her own and on her return she had made a statement that she had gone on her own with Tanish. No allegations of rape

were made therein. After five days, the prosecutrix made another statement under Section 164 Cr.P.C., naming the petitioner of pressuring her to have friendship with Tanish. Counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was arrested on 10.09.2015 and challan had been presented but charge has not been framed yet.

The allegations against the petitioner are not of rape or kidnapping. The allegations against him are of introduction and asking prosecutrix to be friends with Tanish who is stated to be the main accused. The trial will take long time to conclude. Without commenting upon the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail on execution of adequate personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

05.02.2016

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(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE