

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-22553 of 2016

Date of decision : 25.07.2016

Varinder Sharma @ Mani

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mrs. G.K. Mann, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Deep Singh, AAG Punjab

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J. (ORAL)

This is third petition moved on behalf of the petitioner seeking regular bail in FIR No. 435 dated 08.12.2015 registered at Police Station Civil Lines, District Amritsar City under Sections 307/354/34/427 IPC and Sections 25/27/54/59 of Arms Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that earlier they had approached this Court in March 2016 but by then charge was not framed and liberty was granted to approach the Court for regular bail after statement of the complainant and the injured had been recorded. She further states that the second application was filed and it was noted that the statement of the complainant had still not been recorded and, therefore, that application was dismissed. The counsel refers to the statement of the complainant and urges that the complainant had not identified the petitioner in the Court. She further states that his wife has also been examined.

The earlier bail application had been dismissed but liberty was granted to approach the Court after the statement of the complainant and injured had been recorded. The same have now been recorded. The complainant had not identified the petitioner.

Without commenting anything on the merits of the case and considering the fact that the trial will take time to conclude, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing adequate bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

July 25, 2016

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**