

CRM-M-28049-2016

Date of Decision : 30.11.2016

Ajit Singh @ Ajit Kumar @ Mintu

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI**Present:** Mr. G.S. Verma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, DAG, Punjab.

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

Petitioner had been granted the concession of bail under Section 167 (2) Cr.P.C as challan was not presented within a period of 90 days. The said indefeasible right appears to have been defeated on account of petitioner having not been able to furnish the bail bonds for a sum of Rs. 1 lac with two local sureties, as ordered by the Illaqa Magistrate. A period of more than one year has elapsed after the petitioner had been ordered to be released on bail. The petitioner appears to have been deprived of his legal right to be released, on account of the stringent condition, imposed for release on bail.

In the interest of justice, the petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds for a sum or Rs. 25,000/- with one surety to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE**30.11.2016***Neha*

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No