

CRM-M-29159 of 2016 (O&M)
DECIDED ON: SEPTEMBER 29, 2016

KIRNA RANI

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Pawan Bansal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

CRM No. 25753 of 2016

Application is allowed, as prayed for.

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By virtue of instant petition, petitioner has sought the quashing of
FIR No. 111 dated 03.08.2016 under Section 420 IPC registered at Police
Station Sidhwan Bet, Tehsil Jagraon, District Ludhiana.

Though, the petitioner has sought the quashing of FIR but he feels satisfied in case a direction is given to trial Court to dispose of the trial within a stipulated time, as the petitioner is a lady as well senior citizen and is facing the agony of trial since the date of presentation of challan i.e. January 2013.

A perusal of file transpires that charge in this case was framed on September 27, 2013 but till date no material witness has been examined. Only three witnesses came present before the trial Court on January 20, 2013 but were given up being un-necessary. Petitioner is appearing on each and every date. It appears that no substantive proceedings are being carried out for the

disposal of trial.

Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to trial Court to take up the matter on priority basis and make it convenient to dispose of the trial as early as possible, but not later than March 31, 2017.

At the same time, Senior Superintendent of Police, Police District Jagraon is also directed to ensure the presence of prosecution witnesses remain to be examined on the date(s) fixed by the trial Court, so that the trial may be concluded within the prescribed period provided by this Court.

SEPTEMBER 29, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable *Yes/No*