

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

CRM No. M-32894 of 2016

Date of decision:- December 16, 2016

GURMEET SINGH

....PETITIONER..

VS.

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT..

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present:- Mr. Gurmeet Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. RPS Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (Oral)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought concession of bail, during the pendency of trial, in case FIR No.39, dated 06.04.2016, under Sections 326 and 324 IPC, Police Station Sudhar, District Ludhiana Rural.

2. Concededly, the petitioner was arrested in this case on 10.05.2016 and after subjecting him to custodial interrogation, he was remanded to judicial custody. Meaning thereby, he was no more required for further interrogation/investigation. Otherwise also, investigating agency has been miserably failed to present the challan within a period of 90 days from the date of arrest of the accused. Even at present, report under Section 173 (2) Cr.P.C. has not so far been presented.

3. During the course of arguments, Sohan Singh, injured/ complainant, who is none-else but the father of petitioner is present in the

Court, he has admitted that with the intervention of respectable of village as well as Panchayat, a compromise has been got effected with the petitioner, who has also otherwise apologized to him in the Panchayat. Thus, in the given circumstances, this Court is of the considered view that it would not be desirable to keep the petitioner behind the bars for an indefinite period.

4. Taking into consideration the aforesaid aspects but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, petition is allowed and petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, during pendency of trial, at the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No