

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

CRL. MISC. No.M-34634 OF 2016 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION : 26th OCTOBER, 2016

Devender Singh @ Deepa

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. B. CHAUDHARI

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Present : Ms. Monika Tanwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Chetan Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

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A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in FIR No.652 dated 20.05.2016 registered under Sections 326, 332, 353, 186, 342, 365, 379-B IPC read with Section 34 IPC at Police Station City Panipat, District Panipat.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

The petitioner was arrested on 21.05.2016 and is in jail since then.

Learned State counsel fairly states that it is the first case lodged against the petitioner.

I have perused the impugned order and reasons given therein. Learned counsel for the State submits that out of 12 witnesses, 5 witnesses have already been examined and the remaining witnesses are official witnesses.

Looking to the nature of the offence and the punishment provided therein, in my opinion, the petitioner can be released on bail

particularly when this is first offence as stated by learned counsel for the State on instructions from the police official.

In that view of the matter, this bail petition is allowed with direction to the trial court to complete the trial as early as possible and preferably within two months.

Bail to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court.

26th OCTOBER, 2016
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(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes	No
Whether Reportable:	Yes	No.