

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-3581 of 2016

Date of decision : 06.05.2016

Lovedeep Singh

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. R.P. Dhir, Advocate for the petitioner

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG Punjab

Mr. Gurjinder Singh Thind, Advocate for the complainant

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 65 dated 15.09.2015 registered at Police Station Garhdiwala, District Hoshiarpur under Sections 376-D, 366-A, 363 IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is in custody for the last 8 months and allegations of rape were not levelled against the petitioner and challan has been presented and charge has been framed.

The trial is going at a slow pace. The petitioner is in custody since 17.09.2015. No allegations of rape were levelled against the petitioner. Investigation stage is over.

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.

(ANITA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

May 06, 2016

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