

218

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

CRM-M-42242 of 2016

Date of decision: December 20, 2016

Surender

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. Sunny Bhardwaj, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Tanushree Gupta, DAG Haryana.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

In FIR No.324 dated 15.11.2015, under Sections 323, 307, 120-B of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Sections 25, 54, 59 of the Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station Badhra, District Bhiwani, petitioner seeks regular bail.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody since 16.11.2015. He further submits that the petitioner has been falsely involved in this case. Petitioner and complainant-Bindu knows each other for the last 3-4 years and due to this reason, the parents of the complainant were not happy. He then, prays for grant of bail to the petitioner.

Per contra, learned State counsel submits that complainant-Bindu in her deposition clearly stated that the present petitioner fired at her which hit on her stomach and also assaulted her brother.

I have perused the FIR and also seen the deposition of

complainant-Bindu.

On 14.11.2015, the present petitioner-Surender came on bike and fired a shot at the complainant which hit her stomach. He also had scuffle with her brother who tried to save her, but the petitioner ran away from the spot. The pistol was recovered from the spot. The allegations against the petitioner are that he used to harass complainant-Bindu before and after her engagement and marriage and forced her to marry him. The allegations are serious and there is every likelihood of tampering with the prosecution witnesses, if the petitioner is released on bail.

In that view of the matter, the prayer for grant of regular bail to the petitioner, is rejected.

Petition stands dismissed, accordingly.

(A.B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

December 20, 2016

mahavir

Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No