

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

CRM-M-44735 of 2016
Date of Decision:20.12.2016

Ranjan @ JudiPetitioner

Versus

State of HaryanaRespondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SNEH PRASHAR

Present: Mr. S.R. Hooda, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karan Sharma, Asst. A.G., Haryana.

SNEH PRASHAR, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Cr.P.C.) for grant of concession of regular bail to the petitioner in case First Information Report No. 142 dated 18.04.2016, under Sections 458, 201,436,380,411,459,326-A of the Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station, Civil Line, Sonipat.

Heard the submissions made by Mr. S.R. Hooda, Advocate representing the petitioner and Mr. Karan Sharma, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana representing the State.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per the allegation of the prosecution no acid was used during commission of crime, therefore, Section 326-A has been wrongly invoked. He also submits that the statement of the complainant-injured has already been recorded during trial but there are number of other witnesses of the

prosecution left to be examined and the petitioner is in custody for the last seven months and twenty one days. The three other cases shown to to be registered against the petitioner have already been decided and he has undergone the sentence.

Learned State counsel has filed the affidavit of Jai Kishan Chhillar, Superintendent, District Prison, Sonapat giving details of custody of the applicant-appellant in the instant case. The same is taken on record. He concedes that the statement of injured-complainant has already been recorded by the trial Court.

Considering the fact that the trial is still likely to take some time and there appears no plausible ground to detain the petitioner further in custody, he is admitted to regular bail during pendency of the trial, subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds, to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Sonapat.

December 20, 2016
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(SNEH PRASHAR)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned?

Yes/No

Whether Reportable?

Yes/No