

CRM-M-5987-2016

Date of Decision : 27.04.2016

Kuldeep

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI**Present:** Mr. Balwinder Singh Sudan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Malik, D.A.G, Haryana.

M.M.S. BEDI, JUDGE (ORAL)

The petitioner is attributed a knife blow on the left thigh of the deceased Virender. Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been in custody with effect from 13.08.2014 and the prosecution is examining the witnesses at snail's pace. State counsel informs that seven witnesses out of 20 have been examined. Next date of hearing before the trial Court is stated to be 27.05.2016.

Taking into consideration the period of detention suffered by the petitioner and the trial period having been extended on unreasonable grounds, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition with a direction to the trial Court to record the statements of remaining witnesses within a period of next four months. In case the prosecution agency fails to examine all the remaining witnesses within a period of next four months after the next date of hearing fixed before the trial Court, it will be open to the petitioner to approach this Court again for grant of bail.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE**27.04.2016***Neha*