

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

CRL. MISC. No.M-12887 OF 2017 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION : 26th APRIL, 2017

Shaukat @ Shoukat

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.... Respondent

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

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Present : Mr. Nafeesh Ahmad Khan, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Chetan Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

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A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

Heard learned Counsel for the rival parties.

Admittedly, the petitioner was declared proclaimed offender and as such trial against the other accused persons commenced and resulted in acquittal. I have perused the reasons recorded by the learned trial Judge for recording the order of acquittal.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner states that it is true that the petitioner was declared proclaimed offender but then, it is an admitted position that there is no other similar case against the petitioner.

Looking to the nature of the evidence and the standard thereof in the trial against the other accused persons, I think the petitioner deserve to be released on bail. In that view of the matter, this petition is allowed.

Bail to the petitioners to the satisfaction of the trial judge.

26th APRIL, 2017
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(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes No

Whether Reportable: Yes No