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

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Date of Decision: 28.04.2017

Angrej Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr.Sutikshan Sharma, Advocate for
Mr. S.S.Maini, Advocate for
the petitioner.

Mr. V.P.S.Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Advocate,
for respondent No.2

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner-Angrej Singh has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.61 dated 09.06.2015, registered at Police Station Sadar Faridkot, District Faridkot, under Sections 307 and 506 IPC.

Notice of motion has been issued. Learned State counsel has appeared on behalf of respondent No.1-State and contested this petition.

Complainant has also put in appearance through her counsel.

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I have heard learned counsel for the parties as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

From the record, I find that FIR, in the present case, was got registered by respondent No.2-Sukhjit Kaur, who is wife of the present petitioner. As per the allegations, the petitioner poured petrol upon the complainant and put her on fire in which she received 25% burn injuries.

It has been brought into notice of this Court that out of 17, 15 witnesses including the complainant have already been examined.

The petitioner has been in custody since 09.06.2015. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of the case will take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

28.04.2017

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	No