

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-26561-2017

Date of decision: August 17, 2017.

Harjit Kaur

... **Petitioner**

v.

State of Punjab

... **Respondent**

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

Present: Shri Jagtar Singh Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Samina Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral):

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties. In FIR No.125 dated 3.11.2016, under Section 302 IPC (later on added Sections 201, 379, 149 IPC), registered at Police Station City Budhlada, District Mansa, the petitioner seeks regular bail. The petitioner who is a woman was arrested on 13.11.2016 and is in jail since then. Looking to the fact that there is no direct evidence against the petitioner and at any rate the petitioner being a woman and the trial will take its own time, she deserves the benefit of Section 437 Cr.P.C. Hence, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of the trial court/CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned.

August 17, 2017.

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[A.B. Chaudhari]
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No