

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

**CRM-M No.29294 of 2017
Date of Decision : 21.08.2017**

Jaswinder Singh alias Bhola

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Sukhmeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent-State.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

Custody certificate of the petitioner filed in the Court today; be kept on record.

The occurrence took place less than five months ago. Investigation has since been completed and the trial is in progress. It is intimated on behalf of the State that five out of seventeen witnesses, mentioned in the challan, have already been examined including the complainant. The challan having been submitted against the petitioner under Sections 307, 326, 452, 324, 323 of the Indian Penal Code (in short “the IPC”), within the statutory period, and considering that now trial for the offences under Sections 307/326 of the IPC, is progressing, there is no justification for releasing him on bail at this stage.

The present petition is, therefore, dismissed however, with a direction upon the Ld. Trial Court to complete the trial as expeditiously as possible and preferably before completion of the current Calendar Year.

August 21, 2017
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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No