

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

**CRM-M-30899-2017
Date of decision: 31.08.2017**

Vipan Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Ashok Pathania, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 69 dated 26.07.2016, under Sections 354-A, 354-D and 384 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Islamabad, District Amritsar.

It is contended by the counsel for the petitioner the petitioner has falsely been implicated in this case. He submits that the petitioner is in custody since 20.03.2017. He further contends that the statement of the prosecutrix has already been recorded.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab, has appeared on behalf of respondent-State and contested the bail application. He submits that out of total 13 witnesses, statements of five witnesses have been recorded so far.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have perused the record of the case.

In view of the fact that the statement of the prosecutrix has

been recorded and the petitioner is in custody since 20.03.2017 and that the trial is likely to take some time to conclude, without going into the merits of the case, the present petition is accepted. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

August 31, 2017
Ansari

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No