

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

**CRM No. M-4087 of 2017  
Date of decision: 13.02.2017**

**Manish**

**...Petitioner**

**Versus**

**State of Haryana**

**...Respondent**

**CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI**

Present: Mr. Sandeep K. Sharma, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, AAG, Haryana.

**Ritu Bahri, J.**

This petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R No.78 dated 15.05.2016, under Sections 323/354/376/377/406/498-A/506/34 IPC, registered at Police Station, Lakhna Majra, District Rohtak.

Petitioner, who is brother-in-law of the complainant, is in custody since 27.05.2016.

Learned State counsel, on instructions, has informed the Court that husband of the complainant and other family members have already been released regular bail. The allegation of rape has been attributed to the present petitioner in her statement made by the complainant under Section 164 Cr.P.C. Learned State counsel has further stated that out of 15 prosecution witnesses, the complainant has been examined-in-chief.

Keeping in view the period of incarceration of the petitioner and the fact that trial may still take some time for its conclusion, this court feels that there is no need to detain the petitioner any longer. Accordingly, this

petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be enlarged on bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Rohtak.

13.02.2017  
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)  
JUDGE

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