

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

CRM-M-8798-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 22.03.2017

PREM KUMAR

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present : Mr. Parveen Chauhan, Advocate
for the petitioner (s).

Mr. Neeraj Poswal, AAG, Haryana

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

This is the second petition filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, vide which the petitioner has sought regular bail in FIR No.370 dated 22.10.2013, registered under Sections 406, 419, 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code (for short 'the IPC'), at Police Station Butana, Distt. Karnal.

One of the grounds for dismissal of the first petition that the trial was at the fag end and one prosecution witness remained to be examined as on 19.10.2015. Thereafter, in the interregnum period the said witness has been examined. Therefore, this Court feels that the trial is moving at the required pace.

Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed.

However, keeping in view the incarceration period, trial Court is directed to conclude the trial within three months from today.

Anything said herein above shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

22.03.2017

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes / No

Whether reportable: Yes / No