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

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Date of Decision: 24.03.2017

Iqbal Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Deepak Gupta, Advocate for
Mr. Vivek Goel, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. K.S.Aulakh, AAG, Punjab.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner-Iqbal Singh has filed this 2nd petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.174 dated 19.09.2008, registered at Police Station City Moga, District Moga, under Sections 307, 326, 324, 323, 356, 395, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion has been issued. Learned State counsel has appeared and contested the instant petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

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From the record, I find that as per the order dated 02.08.2016 passed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Moga, the present petitioner has been declared proclaimed offender two times. If the petitioner is released on bail, then there is every possibility that he may again abscond from the process of law.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case and without discussing the facts in minute detail, I do not find it a fit case where the petitioner is entitled to the benefit of regular bail.

Dismissed.

As the petitioner has been in custody since 14.08.2015, trial Court is directed to expedite the trial by giving short adjournment or by adjourning the case on day to day basis, if required. Investigating Officer/Station House Officer of the concerned police station is directed to produce all the remaining prosecution witnesses for examination before the trial Court at the earliest, preferably within next two or three dates.

24.03.2017

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	No