

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

CRM-M-27172-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 17.07.2018

Maha Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. Abhilaksh Grover, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Gill, D.A.G., Punjab.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.59 dated 13.05.2018 registered under Section 354-A of IPC and Sections 7 & 8 of POCSO Act at Police Station City Raikot.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that a false case has been registered and he has given his version in Para-4 of the petition. Counsel contends that no such incident had occurred and the petitioner had reprimanded the complainant as she was found with a boy in his house.

As per the version given in the FIR, one elder lady was present in the house at the time of the incident. The police did not verify any fact from her.

Investigation is over. Challan has already been presented. The trial would take time. Without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing surety and adequate bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate with a condition that the petitioner would not contact the victim or her family.

July 17, 2018

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No