

Sr. No.208

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

**CRM-M-34247-2018
Date of decision:21.08.2018**

Des Raj

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present: Mr. R.S.Mamli, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Malik, DAG Haryana.

Rajbir Sehrawat, J(Oral)

Present petition has been filed for seeking bail pending trial in FIR No.128 dated 06.04.2013 for the offences punishable under Sections 406/420/467/468/471/120-B and 506 IPC registered at Police Station Butana, Karnal, District Karnal.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody since 12.05.2013. On this score, the petitioner is entitled to be released on bail. It is further contended that otherwise also, the dispute has been settled between the parties through compromise. Therefore, no purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner in custody.

On the other hand learned State counsel, being instructed by Sub Inspector, Rajinder Singh has not disputed the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 12.05.2013. However, it is submitted that the evidence in the trial has since been completed.

In view of the submissions made by learned counsel for the

petitioner, but without commenting upon the merits of the case the present petition is allowed. Petitioner is granted the concession of bail pending trial. He be released on bail pending trial subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety to the satisfaction of the Trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

21st August, 2018
Shivani Kaushik

[RAJBIR SEHRAWAT]
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>