

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M-35302 of 2018
Date of decision : 21.08.2018**

Harjit Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. G.B.S. Dhillon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Jagmohan Ghumman, DAG, Punjab.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J(ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 37 dated 08.02.2018, registered under Sections 376, 120-B IPC, Sections 3/4 of the POCSO Act, Section 3 of the SC/ST Act and Section 67 of the Information Technology Act, Police Station Hathoor, District Ludhiana.

Counsel for the petitioner at the outset says that the petitioner is in custody since 08.02.2018 and the main witnesses have been examined and the copies of the statements are available on record, which would show that the victim and her mother have not supported the prosecution version and have turned hostile.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail on execution of adequate personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

21.08.2018

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No