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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.42684 of 2017
Date of Decision: 19.01.2018

Kawaljit Kaur

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. Rahul Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, A.A.G., Punjab.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioner seeks her release on regular bail in F.I.R. No.52, dated 15.05.2015, under Sections 302/201/34 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Valtoha, District Tarn Taran.

2. It is submitted by Ld. State Counsel, on instructions from S.I. Joginder, that all the prosecution witnesses have been examined. Examination on the accused under Section 313 of the Code of Criminal Procedure was held up due to loss of some vital document from the Case Record, which has since been retrieved and now the matter is fixed for the same purpose on 06.02.2018.

3. In the given circumstances, it cannot be said that delay in completion of trial is attributed directly to the State.

4. At this stage, this Court is not inclined to grant benefit of bail to the petitioner.

5. Dismissed.

6. The Ld. Trial Court is, however, directed to complete the trial positively within a month from the date of communication of this order.

19.01.2018

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/ No