

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

**Crl. Misc. No. M-46888 of 2017
Date of Decision: 03.4.2018**

Matu Ram

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Ms. Anu Garg, Advocate for
Mr. Sunil Sheoran, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, AAG, Haryana
assisted by Head Constable Kaptan Singh.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 222 dated 18.5.2017 registered at Police Station Sadar Charkhi Dadri, District Bhiwani under Sections 302, 34, 498-A IPC (later on changed Section 306, 498-A, 34 IPC).

Counsel for the petitioner contends that petitioner is the father-in-law who is 71 years old and is in custody since 22.5.2017. He states that the mother-in-law was allowed bail while the husband of the deceased is in custody. Counsel further contends that the complainant and father of the deceased have been examined and the incident had taken place 12 years after the marriage.

The petitioner is in custody for almost 11 months. The main witnesses have been examined.

Without commenting anything on the merits of the case and

considering the fact that the trial will take time to conclude, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing local surety and adequate bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE

April 03, 2018
Gurpreet

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No