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

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Date of Decision:23.06.2020

Himanshu

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Harkesh Manuja, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Manish Bansal, DAG, Haryana.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Case is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks regular bail in case
FIR No.531 dated 28.09.2018, registered at Police Station Sector 9-A,
Gurugram, under Sections 364, 302, 148 and 149 IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is
not named in the FIR. He has been involved in the present case on the
disclosure statement of co-accused, namely, Manish @ Mania, who has
already been granted bail. Moreover, co-accused, namely, Rohit @ Bholu
and Akash and Tarun Raghav, have already been granted bail by this Court
vide orders dated 07.02.2020 and 06.03.2020 [Annexure P-3(colly.)]. He
further points out that the petitioner has been in custody for the last more
than 02 years and 06 months.

Learned State counsel opposes the prayer made in the present

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petition, and states that out of 44 prosecution witnesses, only 08 witnesses have been examined and case before the trial Court is fixed for 07.07.2020. However, he admits that the petitioner is not named in the FIR. He also does not dispute the period undergone by the petitioner.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

Challan has already been presented in the present case. The petitioner has been in custody for the last more than 02 years and 06 months. The trial of the case would take time to conclude. Therefore, no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars.

In view of the above, without commenting anything on the merits, lest it should prejudice the case of either side, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

23.06.2020
parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
	Whether reportable	:	Yes/No