

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

CRM-M-19803-2020 (O&M)

Date of Decision:07.08.2020

Rajan

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Sandhu, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

Matter has been taken up through Video Conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Having argued the matter at some length, counsel makes a statement that he would not be pressing the instant petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking benefit of regular bail pending trial to the petitioner in case FIR No.117, dated 01.09.2018, under Sections 376/506 IPC and Section 4 of the POCSO Act (charges framed under Section 4 of the POCSO Act, 2012 and alternate charges under Section 376(3) IPC and Section 506 IPC), registered at Police Station Khanna City-2, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana.

He, however, seeks indulgence of this Court for issuance of directions to the trial Court to expedite the trial keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has been in custody since September, 2018.

As per statement made by counsel, petition is disposed of as not pressed. Trial Court is requested to make an endeavour to expedite the trial.

Disposed of.

07.08.2020

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(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |