

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

CRM-M-5617 of 2021.

Decided on:- February 23, 2021.

Nadeem.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of U.T., Chandigarh.

.....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Vivek Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. A.M. Punchhi, P.P., U.T., Chandigarh.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has filed this petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail in FIR No.144 dated 16.08.2020 under Section 304 read with Section 34 IPC registered at Police Station East, Sector 26, Chandigarh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed reliance upon the order dated 21.01.2021 passed by this Court in ***CRM-M-2274 of 2021*** titled as ***Kasim Versus State of U.T., Chandigarh***, whereby co-accused Kasim was admitted on bail. He submits that the allegations levelled against the petitioner are similar to that of co-accused Kasim.

Learned Public Prosecutor does not dispute the aforesaid fact.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

It being a conceded position that the allegations against the petitioner are similar to that of co-accused Kasim, who has already been

admitted on bail by this Court vide order dated 2.01.2021, this Court deems it appropriate to admit the petitioner on bail.

Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court.

The observations made hereinabove shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case and the trial Court shall decide the case without being influenced with these observations in any manner.

February 23, 2021
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether Reportable:	No