

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

(Through Video Conferencing)

CRM-M-26628-2021

Date of Decision: 16.07.2021

HARISH KUMAR

.....Petitioner

V/s

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL.

Present: Mr. Krishan M. Vohra, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ranjana Shahi, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for seeking the conclusion of the trial of FIR No.79 dated 07.12.2017 lodged under Section 323, 34, 406, 498-A, 506 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 in a time bound manner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the registration of the FIR in question on 07.12.2017, the trial has not made any substantial progress. He has invited the attention of this Court to the order dated 26.09.2018 (Annexure P-2) which is an order passed in CRM-M-24700-2018 i.e. the petition filed by the petitioner seeking quashing of the FIR in question. He further submits that the said petition was dismissed as withdrawn, however, directions were issued to the trial Court to conclude the trial expeditiously.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that although, in view of the directions given by this Court, the trial Court is giving short

adjournments but prosecution evidence has not yet commenced even after a lapse of 2 years.

In the circumstances and in view of the prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the trial Court concerned is directed to make all endeavors to expedite the trial and conclude the same preferably within 8 months from today.

July 16, 2021

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**[MANJARI NEHRU KAUL]
JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned : *Yes /No*

Whether Reportable : *Yes/No*