

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

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**CRM-M-17752-2020
Decided on: 25.02.2021**

Ankit

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Ravinder Hooda, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Kumar Grewal, DAG, Haryana.

(Through Video Conferencing)

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (in short 'Cr.P.C.') in FIR No.361 dated 08.06.2018, for offence punishable under Sections 302, 109, 120-B, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (in short 'IPC') and Sections 25/29 of the Arms Act, registered at Police Station Meham, District Rohtak.

After arguing for sometime and finding that the Court is not inclined to grant the relief, the counsel for the petitioner submits that considering the fact that the petitioner is in long custody for about 02 years and 08 months, the trial court be directed to conclude the trial expeditiously.

In pursuance to the last order, the trial Court has submitted a status report dated 03.02.2021 in which, the delay in disposal of the case has been explained and one of the reason is that the case was

adjourned on some occasion as two accused, who are on bail, have sought exemption from appearance and on account of heavy pendency of the sessions trials, the delay is caused, which is not intentional.

After going through the report, I deem it appropriate to direct the trial Court to conclude the trial expeditiously within a period of six months.

However, it is made clear that in case any exemption application is filed by any of the accused, the same will not be entertained and their bail/surety bonds will be cancelled and they will be taken in custody so as to conclude the trial. It is also made clear that if any of the witness, despite service, fails to appear, only non-bailable warrants will be issued against such witness including the police officials.

Disposed of.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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