

*(In virtual Court)*CRM-M No.26110 of 2021
Date of Decision: 16.07.2021

Satbir @ Satta

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWATPresent: Kawalpreet Singh Virk, Advocate
for the petitioner.**RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)**

This is the second petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case bearing FIR No.479 dated 27.09.2016, under Section 365 IPC (Challan presented and charges framed under Section 364 IPC), registered at Police Station Safidon, District Jind.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the prosecution has examined only 10 witnesses out of 16 witnesses despite the fact that the petitioner is in custody for more than 2 and a half years. Otherwise also, the left out witnesses are only the formal witnesses, which can be produced by the prosecution on any given date.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Harish Rathee, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent.

Learned State counsel has submitted that earlier the witnesses could not be examined because of the prevalent COVID-19 pandemic situation. However, now the prosecution would take the appropriate steps to complete the entire evidence.

In view of the above, the prayer of the petitioner for grant of regular bail is declined. However, the prosecution is directed to complete its evidence within a period of three months; from the next date fixed before the trial Court. The trial Court shall fix three dates within those three months; so as to enable the prosecution to complete its evidence.

Disposed of in the above terms.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No