

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-17389-2022

Date of Decision: 18.7.2022

Vinod

....Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Govind Chauhan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.209 dated 13.3.2022 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 276, 457, 458, 511 IPC at Police Station Sadar, Karnal.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that during trial PW1- prosecutrix, her mother-in-law and neighbour Ravi while appearing in the witness box, have not supported the case of the prosecution. Copies of their testimonies are furnished which are taken on record. Counsel for the petitioner made prayer that in these circumstances, no purpose is going to be served by keeping the petitioner behind bars for any longer period.

State counsel has not denied the fact regarding examination of the aforesaid witnesses before the trial Court.

As has been stated above by the counsel for the petitioner, all the aforesaid material witnesses have resiled from their previous statements.

Thus, no useful purpose is going to be served by keeping the petitioner in custody for any further period. It will take time for conclusion of the trial.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

July 18, 2022
Paritosh Kumar

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