

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(223)

CRM-M-281-2023
Date of Decision:-12.01.2023

Navneet

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

Present: Mr. Rajesh Lamba, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Brijesh Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

ALOK JAIN, J. (Oral)

Prayer is for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.439 dated 01.09.2022, under Sections 346 IPC (Sections 363, 366-A IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Ballabhgarh City, District Faridabad.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the FIR was lodged alleging that the prosecutrix was missing. He has relied upon Annexures P-3 and P-4, wherein the prosecutrix has submitted that she went away with her friend named Navneet (mentioned as Namit at some places in the statement of the prosecutrix) and as per the statement recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C. she clarifies that although the petitioner had asked her to call up her parents but she refused and stayed with him separately in different rooms. It has come on record that the prosecutrix has refused to undergo any medical examination also.

Learned counsel for the State submits that the challan has been presented on 21.11.2022 and the petitioner is in custody since 23.09.2022.

In the light of the above, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate, Faridabad. Nothing said herein shall be treated as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(ALOK JAIN)
JUDGE

12.01.2023

manju

Whether speaking/reasoned:-	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:-	Yes/No