

CRM-29195-2023 in/and
CRM-M-14145-2023

2023:PHHC:089733

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(108+218)

CRM-29195-2023 in/and
CRM-M-14145-2023
Date of Decision : July 18, 2023

Manav Karwal

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Jaideep Verma, Advocate, for the applicant-petitioner.

Mr. Jaswinder Singh Arora, Deputy Advocate General,
Punjab.

Mr. Ajay Singla, Advocate, for the complainant.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

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As prayed for, the application is allowed.

Compromise/affidavit dated 06.06.2023 as (Annexure P-4) is
taken on record.

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Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as the charges
are yet to be framed, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having
been not pressed any further but a direction be issued to the trial Court that
in case after considering the challan, the Court comes to the opinion that the

charges are to be framed against the petitioner, the complainant be directed to be examined as first witness so that the petitioner does not suffer indefinite incarceration during the pendency of the trial.

Keeping in view the fact that the present petition has not been pressed for the grant of regular bail, the trial Court is directed that in case after considering the challan filed, the Court comes to the conclusion that the charges are to be framed against the petitioner, the complainant be examined as first witness.

The present petition is disposed of in above terms.

July 18, 2023
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No