

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

**CRM-M No.23140 of 2023  
Date of Decision: 05.10.2023**

Inderbir Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM:    *HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA***

Present:-    Mr. Harpal Singh Sidhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurlal Singh Dhillon, AAG, Punjab  
for the respondent-State.

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**MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA, J. (Oral)**

The petitioner herein has sought the relief of regular bail in the criminal case arisen out of the FIR bearing No.260 dated 01.09.2021 registered at Police Station City Faridkot, District Faridkot, under Sections 363 and 366-A IPC (wherein the offences under Sections 376 & 506 IPC and Sections 4 and 5 of the POCSO Act, 2012, are stated to have been added later-on).

2.            Learned State counsel has submitted the Custody-Certificate of the petitioner in the Court today and the same is taken on the record.

3.            However, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the instant petition, while praying that the petitioner is behind the bars in connection with the criminal case under reference, for the last more than 02 years and therefore, the trial Court be directed to conclude the trial and to decide the said case within some specific time-frame.

4. Learned State counsel has no objection to the above-discussed submission as well as the prayer as made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. Resultantly, the petition in hand stands dismissed for having been withdrawn, with a direction to the concerned trial Court to conclude the trial proceedings and to decide the afore-referred criminal case, as pending before it, in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible.

**05.10.2023**

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**(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)**  
**JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes*

*Whether Reportable: No*