

**216 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-36889-2021

Date of Decision: 25.05.2023

Angrej

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Bhupender Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. B.S. Virk, Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.63 dated 05.03.2021 registered under Sections 51 and 6 of POCSO Act, 2012 and Section 506 IPC at Police Station Kunjpura, District Karnal.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is behind bars since 06.03.2021.

However, on the other hand, learned State counsel on instructions has submitted that out of 14 prosecution witnesses, 11 witnesses has already been examined and the next date is 05.07.2023.

In view of the submissions made above, it is apparent that the trial is virtually at the fag end. This Court does not find it appropriate to decide this petition on merits, however, keeping in view the custody of the petitioner, the Trial Court is requested to expedite the trial and conclude the same at the earliest.

Disposed of.

**(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

25.05.2023

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned

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Yes/No

Whether Reportable

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Yes/No