

CRM-M-56527-2022

2023:PHHC:086685

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

210 (A)

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Date of Decision :-12.07.2023

Dushyant @ Chhotu

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Aman Pal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Gaganpreet Kaur, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Padamkant Dwivedi, Advocate for the complainant.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though, the present petition has been filed for grant of regular bail to the petitioner but the petitioner will be satisfied in case a direction is given to the trial Court to conclude the trial in a time bound manner as the petitioner is behind the bars since May, 2020.

Learned State counsel raises no objection to the said prayer of the learned counsel for the petitioner and submits that out of the total 21 cited witnesses, 05 witnesses have been examined so far including the complainant and all the remaining witnesses are official witnesses.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case, as the petitioner is behind the bars for the last approximately three years and 16 witnesses are yet to be examined, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to the the trial Court to make all the efforts to conclude the trial

within a period of six months from the next date of hearing, even if, the presence of the cited witnesses is to be secured by exercising all the power as vested with the trial Court.

July 12, 2023
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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