



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

CRM-M-54783-2024

Date of decision : 11.11.2024

Monu alias Sahil

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE

Present: Mr. Vikas Bishnoi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

1. This is the fourth regular bail application filed by the petitioner in FIR No. 757 dated 03.10.2023 for offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 149 and 307 IPC and Section 25 (1-B) (b) of Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station Azad Nagar, District Hisar, to which offences punishable under Sections 324 and 120-B IPC and Section 25 (1-a) b of Arms Act, 1959 were added and offence punishable under Section 25 (1-B) (b) of Arms Act has been deleted, during investigation.

2. The first bail application preferred by the petitioner before learned Additional Sessions Judge, Hisar, was dismissed on merits, whereas the second and third bail applications were withdrawn.

3. The main ground raised in the present repeat bail application is delayed trial, thereby causing prejudice to the petitioner – accused.



4. It is not disputed at the Bar by learned counsel for the rival parties that the sole eye witness, Chhindo, has not yet been examined by the prosecution.
5. For ensuring safety and security of the said eye witness, it would be appropriate to afford another opportunity to the prosecution to examine the sole eye witness before the prayer for bail can be considered.
6. Accordingly, this petition stands dismissed with the aforesaid liberty.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

November 11, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No