



ITEM NO.113
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-11549-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision : 01.03.2025

Sukhpreet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: None for the petitioner.

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MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for directing learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar to expedite the trial in FIR No. 457 dated 31.12.2014 (P-1), under Sections 399 and 402 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Chheharta, District Amritsar.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Mr. Kunwarbir Singh, learned AAG, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and on instructions from the police official present in the Court, has apprised the Court that challan was presented before learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Amritsar on 20.08.2019; charges were framed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar on 23.11.2023 and now the case is pending before learned trial Court on 23.05.2025 for recording of the prosecution witnesses.

4. Taking into consideration the fact that FIR in question was registered way back on 31.12.2014, present petition is disposed off with a request to learned trial Court, to avoid unwarranted adjournment in the matter.

5. Above observations be not construed as an expression of opinion on merits of the case, in any manner.

Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed off.

01.03.2025
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No