



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

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CRM-M-3061-2026

Date of Decision : 25.02.2026

MANJU

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AARADHNA SAWHNEY

Present: Mr. Rakesh Kumar Lathwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

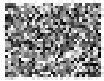
Mr. Vishal Singh, AAG, Haryana.

AARADHNA SAWHNEY, J. (ORAL)

1. This is the fourth petition for grant of bail under Section 483 BNSS filed by petitioner, an accused in case bearing FIR No.182 dated 24.04.2022 registered against him at Police Station Model Town Panipat, District Panipat, for the commission of offences punishable u/s 346 of IPC (Sections 302, 201, 328, 364, 120-B, 34 were added and Section 346 deleted later on).

2. Status Report dated 16.02.2026 by way of affidavit of Mr. Satish Kumar, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Panipat, filed on behalf of respondent-State has already been placed on record.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition, the only limited prayer is to direct the learned trial Court to expeditiously decide the case.



4. Learned State counsel intimates that most of the relevant witnesses including the Investigating Officer of the case, as also the witness before whom one of the accused allegedly made extra-judicial confession, stands examined.
5. Heard.
6. In view of the limited request made by learned counsel for the petitioner, as also considering that the FIR in the present case was lodged in April, 2022, the instant petition is disposed of with a direction to the learned trial Court to make earnest efforts to conclude the trial expeditiously, preferably within a period of 06 months, from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(AARADHNA SAWHNEY)
JUDGE

25.02.2026
Nisha Yadav

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No