

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No.2944/2010

(From the judgement and order dated 14/12/2009 in CRLA No. 610/1999 of The HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH)

SIRI CHAND

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for bail and office report)
(For final disposal)

Date: 25/04/2011 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALTAMAS KABIR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CYRIAC JOSEPH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Ranjit Sharma, Adv.
 Mr. Benay K.Das, Adv.
 Mr. Debasis Misra, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Ramesh Kumar, Adv.
 Mr. Kamal Mohan Gupta, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The Special Leave Petition was filed
against the order of conviction of Siri Chand and
Raj Pal passed by the learned Additional Sessions
Judge, Gurgaon, under Section 498A and 304B IPC.

At the very inception, on 16th April,
2010, the Special Leave Petition was dismissed as
far as the petitioner No.2, Raj Pal was concerned,
and notice was issued only as far as the petitioner
No.1, Siri Chand was concerned.

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We had also issued notice on the
prayer for bail made on behalf of the said
petitioner.

Having heard learned counsel for the

petitioner and the State and having further regard to the fact that the petitioner is now about 70 years old and the victim had left behind a girl child, who is now of marriageable age and is presently residing with the grand-mother, and having further regard to the fact that her father is confined to jail, we are inclined to allow the bail application made on behalf of the petitioner.

Having regard to what has stated hereinabove, we allow the petitioner's prayer for grant of bail and direct that he be released on bail to the satisfaction of the trial court, on such conditions as may be considered necessary by the trial court to ensure his presence at the time of hearing of the Special Leave Petition.

As far as the Special Leave Petition is concerned, leave is granted. Let the hearing of the appeal be expedited.
(Sheetal Dhingra) (S.S.R.Krishna)
Court Master Court Master