

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

**CRM-M-19126 of 2015  
Date of Decision: 10.07.2015**

Rajesh Goyal ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana ... Respondent

**CORAM:-HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH**

Present: Mr. S.P.S. Sidhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Yashwinder Singh, DAG, Haryana.

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**RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)**

Petitioner seeks regular bail in case FIR No.339, dated 07.05.2015, under Sections 8/10 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, Police Station city Sirsa, District Sirsa.

The FIR was got registered by Civil Surgeon, Sirsa on the allegations that he along with CMO Fatehabad with the help of Sub Divisional Appropriate Authority Moonak, District Sangrur apprehended the petitioner on 05.01.2015 for determination of sex and in this regard a case is pending at Sangrur. Amarjit is the witness in the said case. Allegations are that petitioner talked with Amarjit on telephone and asked him to talk with CMO to give evidence in his favour. Petitioner was ready to pay Rs.10 Lacs for that purpose. Complainant asked Amarjit to record the conversation of the petitioner and not to charge the money in his name.

With this background, FIR was registered and

subsequently, trap was laid and petitioner was apprehended.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that in fact Amarjit demanded bribe from him and he was not ready to pay the same. Petitioner informed the office of Vigilance Bureau and trap was sought to be laid. Office of Vigilance Bureau even prepared memo of currency notes. Somehow the process was delayed and information was leaked. Recovery of an amount of Rs.5 lac from the car of the petitioner was also effected in furtherance of trap which was sought to be laid in association with Vigilance Bureau at Hissar. Petitioner is in custody since 07.05.2014. Challan has been presented.

Without commenting upon the merits of this case, at this stage, let the petitioner be released on regular bail subject to his furnishing adequate bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Sirsa.

Nothing expressed hereinabove would be construed to be an expression of any opinion on merits of the case.

July 10, 2015  
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**(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**