

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

**CRM-M-21256 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 10.07.2015**

Arvind Kumar @ Sonu

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

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

Present: Mr. Sachin Luthra Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Yashwinder Singh, DAG, Haryana.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioner seeks regular bail in case FIR No.154 dated 14.05.2015 under Sections 419/420/467/468/471 IPC, Ambala city, Haryana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that challan has been presented in Court and the petitioner is in custody since 14.05.2015. Offence is triable by the Court of Judicial Magistrate and therefore, he be released on regular bail.

On the other hand, learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Balwant Rai states that petitioner stood as surety for Sanjay Kumar in a fake name as Jaswant Singh. He was identified by Gurdial Singh Lambardar. Accused Sanjay ultimately absconded. On issuance of notice to identifier Gurdial Singh, surety was found to be fake as the real name of alleged Jaswant Singh was found to be Arvind Kumar @ Sonu i.e the present petitioner.

Petitioner has no antecedent behaviour of criminal activities as per information gathered from the Investigating Officer. Learned counsel for the petitioner in the aforesaid context placed reliance upon **2012 (1) RCR (Criminal) 481**, wherein with reference and orders of Punjab and Haryana High Court phenomena of stock sureties and menace of bogus sureties have been discussed.

Since the challan has already been presented. Case is triable by Court of Judicial Magistrate. Keeping in view the custody of petitioner w.e.f 14.05.2015 till date, petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail subject to his furnishing adequate bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ambala.

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