

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

CRM-M-23445-2015

Date of decision: 18.8.2015

Randhir Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Ishan Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Shilesh Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. Anil Kumar, Advocate for the complainant.

Rajan Gupta, J. (oral)

This is a petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in a case registered against the petitioner under Sections 384, 389, 506, 120-B, 419, 420 IPC at Police Station Bhawanigarh, District Sangrur, vide FIR No.41 dated 13.04.2015.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is in custody since 14.4.2015. He further submits that since the trial is already in progress, no useful purpose will be served by detaining the petitioner any longer.

Learned State counsel has opposed the prayer for bail. According to him, investigation has been completed and challan presented before the competent court.

Heard.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, period of incarceration of the petitioner and the fact that case is triable by Magistrate, I am of the considered view that no useful purpose will be

served by detaining the petitioner any longer. The trial may take long time to conclude. Thus, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on bail, subject to heavy surety to the satisfaction of the trial court. Needless to observe that investigating agency is at liberty to take steps to arrest remaining accused.

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

18.8.2015
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