

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

CRM-M-35677-2015

Date of Decision: October 29, 2015

Rajbir

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NARESH KUMAR SANGHI

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

Mr. Sanjay Kumar, AAG, Haryana.

1. **Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?**
2. **To be referred to the Reporters or not?**
3. **Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?**

NARESH KUMAR SANGHI, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition, filed under Section 439, Cr.P.C., is for grant of bail to the petitioner, Rajbir, son of Rattan Singh, resident of village Thuru, District Sonapat, who has been booked for having committed the offences punishable under Sections 7 and 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, in a case arising out of FIR No. 54, dated 14.08.2015, registered at State Vigilance Bureau, Rohtak.

Learned counsel contends that the petitioner, who was

posted as Assistant Sub-Inspector, is behind the bars from 14.08.2015. After completion of the investigation, the charge-sheet (challan) has already been presented and as such, further incarceration of the petitioner is not of any consequence.

Learned counsel for the State has not controverted the factual aspect that the petitioner is in judicial custody since 15.08.2015.

In view of the totality of the facts and circumstances of the case, the present petition is allowed. The petitioner, Rajbir, son of Rattan Singh, resident of village Thuru, District Sonapat, is directed to be released on bail during pendency of the trial of the present case, subject to his furnishing bonds to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Sonapat.

(NARESH KUMAR SANGHI)
JUDGE

October 29, 2015

Dinesh Bansal