

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No.M-37233 of 2015

Date of Decision: November 17, 2015

Partap Singh alias Vijay Kalra

...Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr.Harpreet Multani, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr.Varun Sharma, Asstt. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent-State.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.42 dated 01.09.2015 under Sections 420, 406, 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC and Sections 4/5 of Price Chit and Money Circulation Scheme (Banning) Act, 1978, registered at Police Station Sehna District Barnala.

Notice of motion was issued and learned State counsel appeared and contested the petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and have gone through the record.

From the record, firstly, I find that present petitioner is not named in the FIR nor any role has been attributed to him. Neither

there is allegation that he has received any money or any money is paid to him nor there is any allegation regarding cheating or fraud etc. in the FIR against him. The present petitioner has been named by the co-accused. As argued, the only allegation against the present petitioner is that he is also member of the gang.

The petitioner is in custody since 08.09.2015. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes. The presentation of challan and trial of the case will take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case, without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

November 17, 2015
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(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE