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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-15936 of 2016 (O/M)
Date of decision : 13.5.2016

Surinderr Singh Thikriwal

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Mr. R.S. Bains, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Jattana, Additional A.G. Punjab.

1. Whether the Reporters of local newspaper may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not.
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest ?

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KULDIP SINGH J. (ORAL)

This order will dispose the first petition, filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

The petitioner has been booked for the offences under Sections 115, 124-A IPC read with Sections 16 and 18 of Prevention of Unlawful Activities Act.

The petitioner was arrested on 12.11.2015 and is in custody since then. In this case, the challan has been presented and the trial is going on. The allegations against the petitioner are that he allegedly provoked the people by flashing message on the 'whatsapp' to kill the Chief Minister and Deputy Chief Minister of Punjab. The message also carried the photograph of the petitioner.

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In this case, the trial is going on and it is yet to be seen whether the allegations are proved. The further custody of the petitioner will serve no purpose. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of Rs. 50,000/- with one surety of the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE

13.5.2016
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