

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

CRM-M No.31936 of 2016

Date of decision: September 14, 2016

Baljit Singh @ Billu

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Bharat Julka, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.P.S. Sidhu, AAG, Punjab
for the respondent-State.

JASPAL SINGH, J.(ORAL)

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that inadvertently the name of the petitioner has been mentioned as Baljit Singh @ Bill instead of Baljit Singh @ Billu. The same is corrected as Baljit Singh @ Billu.

Necessary correction be made in the petition wherever it occurs.

By virtue of the instant petition preferred under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure, petitioner, namely, Baljit Singh @ Billu has sought regular bail in case FIR No.53 dated 15.04.2016, under Sections 379, 411, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 473 IPC registered at Police Station Daba, District Ludhiana.

Undisputably, the petitioner was arrested in this case on 15th April, 2016 subjected to custodial interrogation and subsequently, remanded to the judicial custody, meaning thereby, he is not required for further interrogation/investigation. Moreover, after completion of the investigation, report under Section 173(2) Cr.P.C. has already been

presented in the Court of Jurisdictional Magistrate and petitioner is facing trial. The disposal of the challan is likely to take sufficient long time as a large number of witnesses have been cited in the list of witnesses annexed with the report. The forgery of the registration certificates or the recovery of the motorcycle at the instance of the petitioner is a matter of evidence before the trial Court.

Taking into consideration all these aspects of the case but without expressing any opinion on merits, petition is allowed and petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing requisite bail bonds as per the satisfaction of concerned trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

September 14, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No