IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.3298 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 04.02.2016

Amit @ Monu

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Aman Dhir, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kuldip Tiwari, Additional Advocate General, Haryana for the respondent/State assisted by ASI Rajesh Kumar.

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JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Present petition is for grant of regular bail under Section 439 Cr.P.C. on behalf of the petitioner/accused in case FIR No.668 dated 11.07.2015, under Sections 364, 34, IPC, (Sections 367 and 120-B, IPC added later on) and Section 3 of the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Act, registered with Police Station Jhajjar, District Jhajjar (**Annexure P-1**).

As per the allegations based on the suspicion, co-accused Rajender, Mai Chand, Bholu, Bijender and Surender were alleged to have kidnapped Ravi, by his father/complainant-Chand Ram. On subsequent release of Ravi, the name of the petitioner-Amit @ Monu has surfaced as being driver of the Skoda Car in which he was kidnapped.

The petitioner has been attributed to *fists* and *slaps* blows to Ravi.

It is submitted that the petitioner is in custody since 05.09.2015 and investigation qua him are over. It is further submitted that even the injuries found on the person of Ravi are on non-vital parts of the body.

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Learned State Counsel, assisted by ASI Rajesh Kumar, concedes regarding the custody period and the fact that investigations qua the petitioner are over and challan has been presented.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, keeping in view the custody period and the facts as noticed above, this Court finds that petitioner/accused-Amit @ Monu deserves the concession of regular bail and as such he is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of CJM/Duty Magistrate, Jhajjar.

Disposed of.

February 04, 2016 **(JASWANT SINGH)**
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