

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

CRM No. M-33005 of 2016

Date of decision:- September 23, 2016

Hafiz Armaan

.....Petitioner..

Vs.

State of Haryana

....Respondent..

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present:- Mr. Ravi Gakhar, Advocate for
Mr. Parshant Sethi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (Oral)

This is a petition preferred under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, by Hafiz Armaan-petitioner, seeking regular bail during the pendency of trial, in case bearing FIR No.530, dated 21.09.2015, under Sections 420, 467, 468 and 471 IPC, Police Station Narnaund, District Hissar.

2. Undoubtedly, the petitioner was arrested in this case on 22.04.2016 and subjected to custodial interrogation. Subsequently, he was remanded to judicial custody, meaning thereby, his further custodial interrogation was no more required. Even otherwise, investigation is complete and report under Section 173 (2) Cr.P.C. has already been presented and trial court is seisin of the matter. Moreover, the entire case of

the petitioner is based upon documentary evidence. The trial is also not likely to be concluded in a short span of time, keeping in view the number of witnesses to be examined by the prosecution.

3. Thus, this Court is of the considered view that no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars for an indefinite period.

4. Taking into consideration all the aforesaid aspects but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, petition is allowed and petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, during pendency of trial, at the satisfaction of trial court/Duty Magistrate.

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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reasonable: Yes/No