

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-35549 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 09.02.2016

John Arik

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

--Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. C.R. Olla, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak K. Grewal, D.A.G., Haryana.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J

This order shall dispose of the present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C seeking the benefit of regular bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R. No.136 dated 26.4.2010 under sections 395, 397 I.P.C and section 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station, Ganaur, District Sonapat.

Learned counsel for the parties have been heard.

During the course of hearing, it has gone uncontroverted that the name of the present petitioner did not even figure in the F.I.R. As per prosecution version he is sought to be implicated on the accusation that he was driving the looted car.

Petitioner has been in custody since 28.10.2014.

Learned State counsel would apprise the Court that out of 19 prosecution witnesses cited, 6 have been examined till date. Trial, as such, would take time to conclude.

Without making any observations on merits and keeping in view the length of incarceration already suffered by the petitioner, present petition is allowed. Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of C.J.M./Duty Magistrate, Sonapat.

Petition disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

09.02.2016

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