

**Sr. No. 225
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM No. M-36977 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 25.02.2016

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...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

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

Present:- Mr. Narinder Singh Behgal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Anmol Malik, AAG, Haryana.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA. J (ORAL)

This order shall dispose of the present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking benefit of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.386 dated 22.10.2012, under Sections 419, 420, 467, 468, 471, 472, 473, 120-B and 379 of Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Sector -5, Panchkula.

Counsel for the parties have been heard.

In a nutshell, accusations raised by the complainant are with regard to selling property on the basis of forged documents. The specific allegation against the present petitioner is of having forged a ration card in the name of Raj Kumari Pandit i.e. mother of the complainant.

It may be noticed that present petitioner having not joined investigation was declared a proclaimed offender on 06.12.2013.

Petitioner, however, thereafter has been taken into custody w.e.f.

09.09.2015. Challan qua the present petitioner has been presented

on 03.12.2015.

It has gone uncontroverted that 07 other co-accused in the present case have already been granted the benefit of regular bail.

Learned State counsel would apprise the Court that out of 26 prosecution witnesses cited 12 have been examined till date. The trial as such would take time to conclude.

Without making any observations on merit and keeping in view the length of incarceration already suffered by the petitioner, he is held entitled to the benefit of bail pertaining to the present FIR. Petition is allowed. Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Panchkula.

Disposed of.

25.02.2016

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**