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

CRM-M-38224 of 2016

Date of decision: November 11, 2016

Kulwinder Singh @ Kala

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.B. CHAUDHARI

Present: Mr. Harshit Jain, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. K.S. Sidhu, AAG Punjab.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

In FIR No.75 dated 01.06.2016, under Sections 384, 506, 149 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Section 4 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, registered at Police Station Dirba, District Sangrur, petitioner seeks regular bail.

I have perused the FIR as well as examinations of PW-2 and PW-3.

Complainant-Kewal Krishan (PW-2) stated that his grandson, namely Saurav Singla alias Sarab Dayal received a phone call from a girl asking for notes and called him at bus-stand Dirba. When his grandson reached at the spot, girl disclosed her name as Ruby and requested to drop her at Patran. She started obscene activities with the grandson of the complainant and in the meantime, petitioner along with accused persons came and he also indulged in

obscene activities with him. On 30.05.2016, complainant received a phone call demanding ₹70 lacs. Petitioner along with accused came to the shop of the complainant, threatened to give money and accordingly, managed to get ₹1 lac from the complainant at that time.

PW-3 Saurav Singla alias Sarab Dayal, grandson of the complainant who is minor, stated in his examination as per the version of PW-2 and can identify the accused-petitioner. The allegations against the petitioner are serious in nature. In that view of the matter, I think the petitioner should not be granted the bail.

Petition stands dismissed.

(A.B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

November 11, 2016

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No