

CRM-M-12373-2017

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IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

(Sr. No.222)

CRM-M-12373-2017

Date of Decision:-April 24, 2017

Mishra Singh

.....Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

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

Present : Mr. Bikramjeet Singh Jatana, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Kaler, DAG Punjab.

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the State submits that the GPF account of the petitioner and other two accused persons have already been attached by the police. It is made clear that until the conclusion of the trial the concerned department shall not allow to operate the GPF accounts of all these accused persons and see that the interest stands accrued in those accounts.

In the meanwhile, the State of Punjab is directed to proceed against the petitioner and other government servants departmentally and to complete the inquiry within six months from today after placing them under suspension and submit a report to this Court.

In so far as the petitioner is concerned, undoubtedly he has the material role to play in the offence in question. He is in custody since 28.11.2016 in FIR No.61 dated 06.08.2015 registered under Sections 420 and 120-B (Section 409 was added lateron) of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station City-2 Mansa, District Mansa. In my opinion, the challan has

been filed and trial will take its own time. Since the property of the petitioners have been attached to some extent atleast, I think, there is no point in continuing the detention of the petitioner as under trial. In that view of the matter, I make the following order:-

ORDER

- 1. CRM-M-12373-2017 is allowed.
- 2. The petitioner-Mishra Singh is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.
- 3. Learned counsel for the State makes a statement that the property of all the three government servants including the present petitioner have been attached. Statement is accepted.
- 4. Disposed of.

April 24, 2017
Pankaj

(A.B. Chaudhari)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No