

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-19076-2017 (O&M)

DATE OF DECISION:26.07.2017

KULDEEP SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

V.

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Kushagra Mahajan, Advocate for
Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.68 dated 10.03.2017 under sections 379-B, 411, 34 IPC registered at Police Station Sadar Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations in the FIR which has been registered on the basis of secret information are that the petitioner along with others had been snatching various articles. He further contends that this was the first FIR registered against him. He also contends that he is in custody for more than 4 months and the police has not presented the challan although the period of 90 days has elapsed.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Manjit Singh, states that after his arrest in the afore-noted FIR, the petitioner has also been arrayed as an accused in another FIR and 3 mobile phones were recovered at the time of his arrest and 4 more in pursuance to his disclosure statement. She further states that the challan has not been filed as yet.

Heard.

The petitioner is stated to be a young boy of 25 years of age and the aforementioned FIR is the first case registered against him and he has already put in more than 4 months in custody. The challan has also not been presented by the police as yet.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner is in custody for over 4 months, I deem it appropriate to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner. Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner, namely, Kuldeep Singh is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

July 26, 2017

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No