

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

**CRM No. M-22748 OF 2017
DECIDED ON : 30.08.2017**

Shatrughan Tiwari

...Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present : Mr. P. S. Dhaliwal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karan Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.154 dated 17.04.2016 under Section 420 IPC registered at Police Station City Bahadurgarh, District Jhajjar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that although the petitioner is named in the FIR along with other accused who had promised government job to the complainant, but even as per the allegation in the FIR, the payment of the money was made to the other co-accused namely Manoj Singh and Jagdish Rai Punj. There is no specific allegation that any amount was paid to the petitioner. He further states that there is no other case pending against the petitioner who is in custody for over 3-½ months ever since the date of his arrest on 11.05.2017.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Dinesh Kumar, states that investigation is complete and challan has been presented on 03.08.2017.

Heard.

In view of the fact that the allegations in the FIR are primarily against the other accused namely Manoj Singh and Jagdish Rai Punj to whom the money had been paid and there is no specific allegation against the petitioner that money was paid to him. He is in custody for 3-½ months, since the date of his arrest on 11.05.2017. I deem it appropriate to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Consequently, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner, namely, Shatrughan Tiwari is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

AUGUST 30, 2017
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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned : | YES/NO |
| 2. Whether reportable : | YES/NO |