

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

CRL. MISC. No.M-24617 OF 2017
DATE OF DECISION : 21st JULY, 2017

Surinder Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

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

* * * *

Present : Mr. J. S. Jaidka, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Sr. D.A.G. Punjab.

* * * *

A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in FIR No.22 dated 09.02.2017 registered under 379-B, 323 and 34 IPC at Police Station Phase-1, District Mohali.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

The petitioner was arrested on 10.02.2017 in this case and he is in jail since then.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the recovery of ₹40,000/- has been made in this case. He further submits that co-accused has been granted bail by this Court on 06.07.2017.

Learned counsel for the State submits that there is no other offence reported against the petitioner. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner along with others had snatched the amount of ₹50,000/- and the recovery has been made of only ₹40,000/-.

In view of the fact that no other offence of similar nature is registered against the petitioner and challan has since been filed, in my opinion, a chance is required to be given to the petitioner to be at liberty rather than continuing his detention as under trial, but subject to deposit of ₹10,000/- with the trial Court since the amount of ₹40,000/- was recovered.

In that view of the matter, I am inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Hence, I make the following order:

ORDER

- (i) The CRL. MISC. No.M-24617 OF 2017 is allowed
- (ii) The petitioner be released on bail to the satisfaction of the concerned CJM/Duty Magistrate.
- (iii) The petitioner shall deposit an amount of ₹10,000/- with the trial Court within a period of four months from today. If the amount is not so deposited then the trial Court shall take the petitioner in custody.

21st JULY, 2017
'raj'

(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned:</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable:</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>