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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision : 14.09.2017

Gurpreet Singh @ Gopi

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Lakhwinder S. Lakhanpal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Seena Mand, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J.(Oral)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 271, dated 25.12.2015, under Sections 406, 420, 364, 506, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Model Town, District Hoshiarpur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner in the FIR are that he had taken sum of ₹21 lacs from the complainant for sending his son to Canada and instead of sending him to Canada, the son of the complainant was sent to Nepal. Learned counsel further contends that in the FIR itself, it is stated by the complainant that the petitioner had told the complainant on 21.08.2015 that his son had taken off for Canada and the son of the complainant, namely, Ravi Kumar, had called the complainant from his Mobile No. +14378891980 on 23.08.2015 and he was worried at that time and the call was disconnected. Learned counsel further states that the aforementioned number +14378891980 indicates that the call was made from Canada and the son of the complainant had gone to Canada and not to Nepal as alleged by the complainant. He further states that the petitioner has been in custody for almost 04 months since the date of his arrest on

17.05.2017.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from HC Jagdish Raj states that the investigation has been completed and the challan has been filed in the Court.

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has been in custody for over 04 months and the investigation has been completed, I deem it a fit case to grant 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, Gurpreet Singh @ Gopi is ordered to be released on regular bail on her furnishing requisite bail bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

September 14, 2017
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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>No</i>