

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

**CRM-M No. 40258 of 2017
Date of Decision: 2.12.2017**

Basant Kumar **.....Petitioner**

v.

State of Haryana **.....Respondent**

CORAM HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN

Present:- Mr. Satya Vir Singh Yadav, Advocate with
Mr. Vikas Jain, Advocate, for the petitioner
Mr. Satish Saini, DAG, Haryana

SHEKHER DHAWAN, J.

Present petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 1008 dated 3.11.2016, under Sections 380 and 457 IPC, registered at Police Station Jhajjar, on the allegations that recovery of 24 stolen batteries was effected from him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case whereas no such recovery was effected from him. More so, he is in custody since 25.7.2017; trial of the case still to take some more time, so, he be released on bail.

Learned State counsel while opposing the bail petition contended that the petitioner is involved in 5 more cases under Section 380 IPC. However, as per custody certificate, he has been released on bail in all those cases and all those cases were registered after registration of the present FIR.

Having considered the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties and the facts that the petitioner is in custody since 25.7.2017; the trial of the case still to take some more time and no useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner behind the bars; the present petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The present petition stands disposed of.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

2.12.2017
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Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Reportable	Yes/No