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

**CRM-M-10132-2018
Date of Decision: 12.03.2018**

Charanjit Bhatia

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. Madan Lal Saini, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)

This is a petition seeking bail on behalf of the petitioner in case Complaint No.134/02/16 dated 15.12.2016 pending in the Court of Ld. Judicial Magistrate First Class, SBS Nagar. He was originally on bail granted by the Ld. Trial Court but could not appear on a particular date since he was already in custody in connection with some other case and remained so till 29.11.2017.

[2]. In the meantime, the petitioner was declared a Proclaimed Offender by the Ld. Trial Court.

[3]. From the custody certificate filed by the petitioner (Annexure P-2), it is seen that he was actually detained in prison till 29.11.2017.

[4]. In the circumstances, considering the ground made out in the petition, the present petition is disposed off with a direction that coercive processes pending against the petitioner shall remain stayed for one week from today during which he shall surrender before the Ld. Trial Court and seeks fresh bail.

[5]. This order shall automatically stand vacated after 19.03.2018.

12.03.2018

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

2. Whether reportable: Yes/No