

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-13090-2018

Date of decision: 02.07.2018

Boota Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Sidakmeet Singh Sandhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. B.J.S.Jatana, Advocate, for the complainant.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 105 dated 21.10.2017 under Sections 420/406/34 IPC registered at Police Station Kot Dharmu, District Mansa.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in judicial custody for the last about 07 months and the offences are triable by the Court of Magistrate and out of 15 witnesses, only one witness has been examined so far and conclusion of the trial will take long time.

The learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for the complainant have not disputed the fact that the petitioner is in judicial custody for the last about 07 months and the trial is at the stage of recording the prosecution evidence.

Without commenting anything upon the merits of the case, considering the fact that the petitioner is in judicial custody for the last about 7 months; only one prosecution witness has been examined and conclusion of the trial will take long time, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Disposed of.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No