

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

CRM-M-1892 of 2018
Date of Decision: 23.01.2018

Sukhjinder Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Sumeet Sagar Maini, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Dahliwal, DAG, Punjab.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.215 dated 25.12.2014 registered under Sections 419, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code Police Station Civil Lines, Batinda, District Batinda.

It is contented that the petitioner is in custody since 02.08.2017 and report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. has already been submitted. Now the case is fixed for framing of the charges before learned trial Court. It is further contended that no recovery is to be effected from the petitioner and his further custody will not serve any purpose.

The above factual position is not disputed by learned State counsel.

Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the paper book.

In view of the fact that even charges are yet to be framed and the FIR was registered way back on 25.12.2014, no useful purpose would

be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars any more. Therefore, in view of the abovesaid circumstances, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is accepted. Petitioner-Sukhjinder Singh be admitted to bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

[MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU]
JUDGE

January 23, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	yes/no
Whether reportable?	yes/no