

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-27121-2018

Date of Decision:-11.09.2018

Sahil

... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Balbir Singh Jaswal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Simranjeet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

Petitioner-Sahil seeks regular bail in case FIR No.84 dated 22.3.2018 under Sections 379-B/411 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station A-Division, District Amritsar, in which offences under Sections 182/192/196 of Motor Vehicle Act were also added subsequently.

The allegations, in nutshell, are that a secret information was received against the Bhart, Sahil & Ghacha and upon “*Nakabandi*”, they were apprehended while travelling on a motor-cycle. Upon inquiry, the driver disclosed his name as Bhart and pillion rider disclosed his name as Sahil. One mobile phone make HTC of white colour was recovered from the petitioner, who disclosed that he and Bhart alongwith Gacha had snatched

the said mobile phone from Sarifpura. During the course of investigation, the complainant had identified the said recovered mobile phone, to be the one which had been snatched from him.

The learned State counsel has informed that the petitioner has been behind the bars since 22.3.2018 and challan in the present case has already been presented.

In view of the fact that the petitioner has been behind bars since last more than five months and the conclusion of trial is likely to consume some time, no useful purpose would be served by further detaining the petitioner behind bars. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed, the petitioner-Sahil is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate concerned.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

11.09.2018
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Whether reasoned / speaking? Yes / No

Whether reportable? Yes / No