

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

CRM-M-28719-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-17.7.2018

Aman

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Gagandeep Singh Simble, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Sandhu, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

By way of filing this petition, the petitioner seeks grant of regular bail in respect of a case registered against him vide FIR No.28 dated 20.4.2018 under Sections 341, 473 and 34 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Sections 28, 54 and 59 of Arms Act at Police Station Sekhwan, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur.

The allegations in nutshell are that the petitioner in connivance with co-accused had hatched a plan so as to snatch the amount collected by Sudesh Sethi/his son with whom Bikramjit Singh @ Bunty was employed. It is the case of the prosecution that on 18.4.2018, when the complainant along with Hirdey Ankit son of Sudesh Sethi was coming in their car then they were waylaid by the present petitioner and co-accused Ravinder @ Sinku, who snatched an amount of ₹ 90,000/- from them.

Notice of motion.

Mr. A.S. Sandhu, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and has opposed the present petition.

It has been pointed out that co-accused Ravinder @ Sinku, who is virtually identically situated as the present petitioner has already been released on regular bail by the learned trial Court.

The learned State counsel has, however, submitted that the case of the present petitioner is distinct inasmuch as during the course of investigation, a mobile phone belonging to Hirdey Ankit has been recovered from possession of the present petitioner alongwith a toy pistol and forged registration number plates of the car used by them.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the petitioner has been behind bars since the last more than 2½ months and the challan has already been presented, in my opinion, it is a fit case for grant of bail to the petitioner. The present petition, as such, is accepted and the petitioner Aman is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

This petition stands disposed of accordingly.

17.7.2018

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No