

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

CRM-M-44156 of 2017

Date of decision: January 17, 2018

Gurdial Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Punjab Gramin Bank Branch Harike

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. M.K. Dogra, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. C.L. Pawar, Senior DAG, Punjab.
Mr. Bhushan Bhatiya, Advocate for the respondent.

Rajan Gupta, J.(oral)

Petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in view of non-bailable warrants issued by the trial court in proceedings pending against him under Section 138/142 of the Negotiable Instruments Act.

At the outset, learned State counsel has pointed out that the petitioner was declared a proclaimed offender.

Under the circumstances, plea for pre-arrest bail is misconceived. However, it is directed that in case the petitioner appears before the trial court within ten days from today and applies for regular bail, same shall be decided within three days thereafter. Arrest of the petitioner shall remain stayed till then.

Disposed of.

**(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE**

January 17, 2018
'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No