

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-48306 of 2017

Date of decision: January 25, 2018

Bawa Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Gursharan Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. C.L. Pawar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J.(oral)

This is a petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in a case registered against the petitioner under Section 420/34 IPC at Police Station Nangal, District Rup Nagar, vide FIR No.0127 dated 26.08.2017.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has argued that investigation has been completed. Case is triable by the Magistrate and petitioner is incarcerated since 18.09.2017. Thus, no useful purpose will be served by detaining the petitioner in custody any longer.

Learned State counsel has opposed the prayer for bail.

Heard. Keeping in view the aforesaid contentions, period of incarceration of the petitioner, I am of the considered view that no useful purpose will be served by detaining the petitioner in custody any longer. The trial may take long time to conclude. Thus, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on bail to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Rup Nagar.

January 25, 2018
'Rajpal'

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No