IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-52485-2018

Date of Decision:19.12.2018

Surinder Pal @ Shiv Kumar **.....Petitioner**

Versus

State of Punjab **.....Respondent**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present: **Mr. Liaqat Ali, Advocate,**
for the petitioner.

Mr.. Rana Harjasdeep Singh, D.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Joginder Kumar, complainant in person.

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HARI PAL VERMA, J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.144 dated 26.08.2018 under Sections 406, 420, 465, 467, 468, 120-B IPC, 1860, registered at Police Station Goraya, District Jalandhar Rural.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that apart from the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 28.08.2018 and the offences are triable by the Magistrate and the matter has been compromised between the parties.

Mr. Joginder Kumar, complainant is present in the Court, who has been identified by learned counsel for the petitioner states that he has received his money from petitioner-Surinder Pal @ Shiv Kumar.

Learned State Counsel on instructions from ASI Sanjeev Kumar does not dispute the custody period. However, he is ignorant about

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the money returned to the complainant or the compromise having been arrived at between the parties.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner is in custody since 28.08.2018, trial in the case is likely to take a long time as challan was presented on 27.11.2018. Even otherwise, a separate petition bearing No.**CRM-M-61470-2018 (Surinder Pal @ Shiv Kumar Versus State of Punjab and another)** for quashing of FIR on the basis of compromise has been filed, this Court deems it appropriate to admit the petitioner on regular bail.

Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is admitted on regular bail, subject to furnishing of his adequate bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court.

December 19, 2018 **(HARI PAL VERMA)**
seema **JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No

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