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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M No.5588 of 2018
Date of Decision: 16.02.2018

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Ravinder Singh @ Bunty

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. Amandeep Singh Manaise, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Rajni Gupta, Senior D.A.G., Punjab.

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SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioner seek his release on regular bail in F.I.R. No.141, dated 09.08.2017, under Sections 379, 419, 420, 465, 467, 468 and 471 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station City Gurdaspur, District Gurdaspur.

2. The petitioner has remained in detention since 15.01.2018.

3. The complainant and the petitioner are closely related to each other on account of the petitioner's sister being married to the complainant's son.

4. The alleged offences imputed in the F.I.R. to a large extent have been explained by the complainant's own wife in her Affidavit dated

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15.11.2016 (Annexure P-2), which was prior in time before the F.I.R. was registered.

5. In this view of the matter, at this stage further indefinite detention of the petitioner is not justified.

6. In view of above, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner, namely Ravinder Singh @ Bunty son of Balraj Singh, is directed to be released on regular bail subject to appropriate terms and conditions to the satisfaction of the Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

16.02.2018 **(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)**
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1. Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/ No

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