

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

CRM-M-9068-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision:08.03.2018

Varunjit Singh @ Babbu

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present: Mr. Siddharth Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Simranjeet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

Petitioner seeks benefit of regular bail pending trial in case FIR No.53, dated 16.02.2015, under Sections 394/511 IPC, registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Amritsar, District Amritsar City.

Counsel for the parties have been heard at length.

FIR came to be registered on the statement of Amit Dhawan in relation to an alleged occurrence dated 15.02.2015. Precise allegations are with regard to an attempt to commit robbery by three unnamed assailants on the threat of a sharp edged weapon (*datar*) as also having inflicted injuries upon the complainant. Petitioner is not named in the FIR.

As per prosecution version, petitioner has been implicated on the basis of his own disclosure statement allegedly suffered while he was in custody in a different FIR.

Investigation in the case is complete, challan has been presented and even charges have been framed.

It is not the case made out on behalf of the State that the

petitioner if granted benefit of bail would be in a position to influence the course of a free and fair trial.

Offences are triable by a Court of Magistrate.

Petitioner has faced incarceration since 14.05.2016.

Prayer made in the instant petition is accepted. Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

Disposed of.

08.03.2018

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |