

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-16130-2019

Date of Decision: 17.07.2019

Amandeep Singh @ Aman

.. Petitioner

Vs.

Unior Territory of Chandigarh

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Bhriugu Dutt Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Manish Jain, A.P.P., U.T. Chandigarh.

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Inderjit Singh, J. (Oral)

Petitioner Amandeep Singh @ Aman has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.219 dated 13.12.2018, registered at Police Station Sector 49, Chandigarh, under Sections 419, 420, 467, 468 and 471 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, wherein offences under Sections 380 and 411 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 have been added later on.

Notice of motion was issued.

Learned counsel for U.T. Chandigarh appeared and contested the instant petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned counsel for U.T. Chandigarh and gone through the record.

As per the prosecution version, the present petitioner was a convict in the jail. He has stolen the cheque book from the office of Jail Superintendent and then withdrawn around ₹27,00,000/- and embezzled the same.

Challan has already been presented. The petitioner has been in custody since 18.12.2018. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of the case may take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping him in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

17.07.2019
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No