

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.**

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**CRM-M No.53276 of 2018.
Date of Decision: 08.01.2019.**

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....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN

Present: Mr. Harpreet Singh Dandiwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Neeraj Poswal, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

Shekher Dhawan, J.

Present petition under Section 439 of the Criminal Procedure Code has been filed for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R. No.224 dated 23.04.2018 under Sections 419, 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Civil Lines Hisar, District Hisar.

Learned counsel representing the petitioner contended that F.I.R. No.224 dated 23.04.2018 was quashed qua co-accused Sukh Sagar Singh, who is the main accused in this case vide order dated 15.12.2018 passed by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in CRM-M No.43673 of 2018. The petitioner is in custody since 21.07.2018 and trial of the case still to take some more time, so he be released on regular bail.

Learned State counsel opposed the prayer for bail to the petitioner on the ground that role of the petitioner does not make out a case for his release on bail.

At this stage, without commenting anything on the merits of the case and taking into consideration the fact that F.I.R. against co-accused Sukh Sagar Singh has already been quashed by co-ordinate Bench of this Court and the petitioner is in custody since 21.07.2018, trial of the case still to take some more time and no useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner behind the bar any more, the present petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be admitted on regular bail on furnishing adequate bail bond and surety bond to the satisfaction of concerned learned trial Judge/ Chief Judicial Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

Whether Reportable : Yes/ No