

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

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CRM-M-26180-2019.

Date of Decision: 01.07.2019.

Raghbir Singh

....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN

Present: Mr. Lovish Mittal, Advocate for
Mr. Pratham Sethi, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Shekher Dhawan, J.

Present petition under Section 439 of the Criminal Procedure Code is for grant of regular bail to petitioner- Raghbir Singh son of Ujjagar Singh in case F.I.R. No.32 dated 09.02.2019 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station City Sri Muktsar Sahib, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Learned counsel representing petitioner contended that the matter has otherwise been settled as the dispute was regarding identity of some property. Co-accused Rashpal Singh has already been granted regular bail by this Court vide order dated 30.05.2019 passed in CRM-M-24072-2019.

Notice of motion.

Learned counsel for the petitioner also contended that the petitioner is in custody since 04.03.2019 and trial of the case still to take some more time and no useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner behind the bars, so he be released on bail.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Amarjit Singh, contended that the matter has, in fact, been compromised with present petitioner Raghbir Singh also.

At this stage, without commenting anything on the merits of the case, which may not cause prejudice to either of the parties at a later stage, but taking the above facts into consideration and the fact the petitioner is in custody since 04.03.2019; trial of the case still to take some more time and no useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner behind the bars, the present petition is allowed. Petitioner—Raghbir Singh son of Ujjagar Singh, is ordered to be admitted to regular bail on his furnishing adequate bail bond and surety bond to the satisfaction of concerned learned trial Judge/ Chief Judicial Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

01.07.2019

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Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

Whether Reportable : Yes/ No