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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-32886-2019 (O&M)

Date of decision:14.08.2019

SUKHDEV SINGH

... Petitioner

versus

STATE OF HARYANA

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

Present: Mr. Jeet Singh, father of petitioner.

ASI Rajbir Singh.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.93 dated 26.04.2018 registered under Sections 363, 366-A, 212, 120-B of IPC at Police Station Sadar Dabwali, District Sirsa.

Mr. Jeet Singh, who is father of the petitioner-Sukhdev Singh, is present in the Court. He states that in the similar circumstances, he was also arrayed as an accused and this Court, vide order dated 23.07.2019 passed in **CRM-M-30209-2019** titled as ***Jeet Singh Versus State of Haryana***, has admitted him on bail. The petitioner is stated to be in custody since 18.04.2019. The trial in the case is not likely to be concluded in the near future.

The IO ASI Rajbir Singh, who is present in the Court, states that the whereabouts of the girl who was enticed away by Sukhbir @ Bulia is not known.

After hearing Jeet Singh, who is father of the petitioner, and the IO, who is present in the Court, this Court finds that the trial in the case is not likely to be concluded in the near future as the co-accused Sukhbir @ Bulia has not been arrested so far. The allegation against the petitioner is that he has given shelter to said Sukhbir @ Bulia. The culpability of the petitioner is yet to be established during the trial.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 18.04.2019 and the trial in the case is not likely to be concluded in the near future, coupled with the fact that the co-accused has already been admitted on bail, this Court deems it appropriate to admit the petitioner on bail.

Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is admitted on regular bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court.

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No