

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-39094-2019 (O & M)
Date of Decision: September 20, 2019

AKSHAY KUMAR

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Namit Khurana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurabh Girdhar, AAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 509, dated 06.09.2016, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 406, 506 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code ('IPC' - for short), registered at Police Station City Yamuna Nagar District Yamuna Nagar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner are that he was an attesting witness to the agreement to sell of a plot which was the basis for co-accused to obtain a loan of ₹28,50,000/- from the complainant bank. He also contends that before sanctioning the loan complainant-bank had carried out due diligence. The petitioner is stated to have received a sum of ₹2,00,000/- from the co-accused. The petitioner is in custody for over 10 months.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from SI Surinder Singh states that 04 out of 23 prosecution witnesses have been examined.

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner especially when he is in custody for over 10 months and conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 20, 2019

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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No