

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

CRM-M No.41787 of 2019 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION : 22nd NOVEMBER, 2019

Pawan Kumar @ Seth

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & another

.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

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Present : Mr. Anil Chawla, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Simranjeet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sunil Sharma, Advocate for respondent No. 2 with
complainant – in person.

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RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Section 439 Cr.P.C for grant of bail pending trial in case FIR No.0101 dated 20.04.2019 registered under Sections 420, 120-B IPC (Sections 467 & 468 IPC added later on) at Police Station Sadar Dhuri, District Sangrur.

De hors the merit of the case, it is submitted by counsel for the petitioner that the matter has been settled between the parties. Under the settlement, an amount of ₹2,50,000/- has already been paid to the complainant by way of demand draft. Today also the petitioner has brought demand draft No.787607 dated 21.11.219 amounting to ₹1,00,000/-, drawn on Punjab and Sindh Bank, Amritsar GNDU Branch. Still further two cheque No.000016 amounting to ₹50,000/- and cheque No.000018 amounting to ₹2,50,000/- drawn on Punjab and Sindh Bank, Amritsar GNDU Branch, from the account of the mother of the petitioner

in the name of the complainant. The cheques as well as the draft are handed over to the counsel for the complainant, which has further been handed over to the complainant, who is present in the court.

Since the parties are in the process of settlement of the dispute, it would not be unjustified if the petitioner is released on bail, pending trial. In that view of the matter, but without commenting upon merits of the case, the present petition is allowed. It is ordered that the petitioner be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/sureties to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

22nd NOVEMBER, 2019
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(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned:</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable:</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>