

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-43344-2019

Date of decision : 18.10.2019

Amit Kumar

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Ms. Monika Jangra, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Aditi Girdhar, AAG, Haryana.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J (ORAL)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking grant of regular bail in a case registered against him vide FIR No.382 dated 22.08.2019 under Section 10 of POCSO Act and Sections 354 and 506 of IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar, District Sonapat.
2. The FIR was registered at the instance of Varsha, wherein it has been alleged that on 22.08.2019 when she was going to school by bus alongwith other children, then Amit 'sir' molested her and when she objected the same, he threatened that he would kill her.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the FIR came to be lodged due to some misunderstanding which has now been resolved and the parties have entered into a compromise and in fact a petition for quashing of FIR on the basis of compromise, i.e., CRM-M-42885-2019 has already been filed in this Court.

4. Opposing the petition, learned State counsel submitted that since the petitioner is specifically named in the FIR, no case for grant of bail is made out.
5. Having considered rival submissions addressed before this Court and in view of nature of allegations and also in view of the fact that the petitioner has been behind the bars since last about 2 months and the matter is stated to have compromised, further detention of the petitioner will not serve any useful purpose.
6. The petition, as such, is accepted and the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned Illaqa Magistrate concerned.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

18.10.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No