

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

CRM-M-50318-2019 (O&M)

Date of decision : 03.12.2019

Jagsir Singh @ Jaggu

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Shakti Mehta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Hittan Nehra, Additional Advocate General, Punjab
alongwith ASI Raj Kumar.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner prays for grant of bail pending trial in a criminal case arising from FIR No.0015 dated 29.03.2019 registered under Sections 379B, 34 (Section 201 added later on), at Police Station Ghagga, District Patiala.

As per case of the prosecution, bag containing a sum of ₹84880/- was snatched from the first informant by two accused who came on a motorcycle after sprinkling chilly powder on the first informant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is sought to be falsely implicated on the statement of Gurcharan Singh and Slamdeen. Gurcharan Singh claims that he had overheard conversation between the petitioner and other accused wherein they admitted having committed the offence whereas Slamdeen is a co-accused who was also

arrested on 17.09.2019.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Raj Kumar, has submitted that alleged bag which was snatched from the first informant has been recovered from Slamdeen. Petitioner is in custody since 16.09.2019. He is involved in one another case but granted the concession of bail. After remand of 5 days, petitioner is in judicial custody. The police, as of now, has not concluded its investigation.

Without commenting on the merits of the case and keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

Accordingly, the present petition is allowed.

03.12.2019

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**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No