

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

CRM-M-49278-2019

Date of decision : 25.11.2019

Ajay

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Sanchit Punia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Singh Chaudhary, Addl. A.G., 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.252 dated 18.09.2019, registered at Police Station Uklana, Hisar, under Sections 354A/354D of IPC 1860, Section 3(1)(w) of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act, 2018 and Section 67 of Information & Technology Act, 2000.
2. The allegation, in nutshell is that the petitioner used to chase the complainant and suggested her to make friendship with him while also threatening that in case she does not marry him, he would commit suicide.
3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he has falsely been implicated in the present case and that in any case since challan already stands presented, further detention of the petitioner is not required.

4. The learned State counsel, on the other hand, on instructions from ASI Daya Ram, has informed that upon investigation of the case, the offence under Section 67 of Information & Technology Act, 2000 has been deleted and that although challan already stands presented, but charges are yet to be framed.
5. Having considered rival submissions addressed before this Court and while noticing that the challan already stands presented, further detention of the petitioner will not serve any useful purpose, as the conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time. The petition, as such, is accepted and it is ordered that petitioner be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

25.11.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No