

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

CRM-M No. 54702 of 2018

Date of decision : 14.02.2019

Satish @ Satta

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Ajit Sihag, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R. S. Doon, AAG, Haryana.

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DAYA CHAUDHARY, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.620 dated 03.07.2014 under Sections 148/149/323/427/452/506/325 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station – Sadar Hisar, during pendency of the trial.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that earlier the petitioner was released on bail but he jumped the bail and was declared proclaimed offender. Thereafter, he himself surrendered on 04.07.2018 and since then he is in custody. Learned counsel also submits that all the prosecution witnesses have been examined and the material prosecution witnesses have not supported the case of the prosecution.

Learned State counsel submits that the trial is likely to be concluded soon as all the prosecution witnesses have been examined and

the next date of hearing before the trial Court is for tomorrow *i.e.* 15.02.2019. He also submits that there were total seven accused, out of whom four accused have already been convicted. The petitioner remained proclaimed offender almost for a period of two years and thus, all the material prosecution witnesses have resiled from their statements.

Heard arguments of learned counsel for the parties and have also perused the contents of the FIR and other documents available on record.

Keeping in view the stage of the trial and also the fact that all the prosecution witnesses have been examined; case is fixed for recording statement of accused under Section 313 Cr.P.C. and defence evidence, no ground is made out to release the petitioner on bail at this stage.

Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed.

14.02.2019

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**(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No