

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

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**CRM-M No. 53101 of 2019
Date of decision : 18.12.2019**

Gurlal Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present : Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate, for the petitioner

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab

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. 20 dated 12.4.2019, registered under Section 379B IPC at Police Station Kacha Pacca, District Tarn Taran.

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the case against the petitioner is totally concocted. The petitioner is not involved in the crime at all. Otherwise also, the alleged recovery of mobile phone already stands effected. The petitioner is in custody since 13.7.2019. There is no other case against the petitioner. In the present case, investigation is already over. Hence, the petitioner is not required for any investigation purposes.

On the other hand, counsel for the State, on instructions, submits that the culpability of the petitioner in the crime has been duly established. The snatched mobile phone has been recovered from the petitioner. However, it is not disputed that there is no other case against the petitioner. In the present case the petitioner is in custody since 13.7.2019 and that the challan

has already been filed in this case.

In view of the above, 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.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

18.12.2019
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Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Reportable	:	Yes/No