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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**MCRC No. 8019 of 2019**

- Suraj Kumar Mandal S/o Shri Babulal Aged About 26 Years R/o Village Naya Tola, Police Station Lal Jhadi, District Sahebganj Jharkhand.

----Applicant

Versus

- State Of Chhattisgarh Through Station House Officer, Police Station Balconagar, District Korba Chhattisgarh.

---- Respondent

For Applicant.	:	Mr. Dharmesh Shrivastava, Advocate.
For Respondent/State	:	Ms. Reena Singh, PL

Hon'ble Smt. Justice Rajani Dubey**Order on Board****28.01.2020**

1. The accused/applicant has moved this first bail application under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for releasing him on regular bail during trial in connection with Crime No. 361/2019 registered at Police Station - Balconagar, District Korba (C.G.) for the offence punishable under Section 379 of IPC.
2. The allegation against the present applicant is that, he has committed theft of several mobile phones. Based on that, after investigation, offence has been registered against the applicant and he has been arrested.
3. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the case. He next submits that applicant is in jail since 06.11.2019 (present case) but in jail since 16.09.2019 and he is ready to furnish adequate surety and shall abide by all the conditions

and directions, which may be imposed by this court, therefore, the present applicant may be released on bail.

4. Per contra, State counsel strongly opposed the bail application.
5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the case diary.
6. Taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offence, facts and circumstances of the case and further considering that the detention period of the applicant, as the trial is likely to take some time for its final disposal, this Court is of the view that it is a fit case to release the applicant on bail. Accordingly, the application is allowed.
7. Accused/applicant is directed to be released on bail on his executing a personal bond in the sum of Rs. 50,000/- with one local surety in the like sum to the satisfaction of the trial Court. He is directed to appear before the said Court on each and every date given to him by the said Court.

**Sd/-
(Rajani Dubey)
Judge**

Vijay Sahu