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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-15219-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 21.09.2020

Devender

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. J.S. Saneta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Kumar Grewal, DAG, Haryana.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail in FIR No.113 dated 30.03.2016 under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 120-B IPC and Section 471 IPC (added later on), registered at Police Station Bhondsi, District Gurugram.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per allegations in the FIR, co-accused Choti Devi, pretending herself to be daughter of one Sati Nath, filed a petition before the Collector to declare her Bhondedar/Dholidar under the Haryana Dholidar, Mukrimar and Bhondedar Act, 2020. It is further submitted that later on, said Choti Devi entered into an agreement to sell with co-accused Gagan Vashisht, who, after making the payment of Rs.21.00 lacs to her, got GPA and executed sale deed in the name of his mother Nirmala Devi. It is also submitted that role of the petitioner is that he has signed as a witness on

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the GPA, which was used by Gagan Vashisht for committing forgery and cheating.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that similarly situated co-accused of the petitioner has already been granted the concession of bail by the Additional Sessions Judge and on a representation given by co-accused Gagan Vashisht that he and his mother will not claim any right on the basis of sale deed and will settle the dispute with complainant Satbir, he has been granted the concession of interim anticipatory bail vide order dated 15.09.2020 passed in CRM-M-27644-2020. It is also submitted that the petitioner, in this case, is in custody since 21.01.2020; investigation is complete; challan stands presented and it will take some time in conclusion of the trial.

Learned State counsel has not disputed the aforesaid factual position.

Without commenting anything on merits of the case, considering the aforesaid submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail subject to furnishing his bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

Petition is disposed of.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No