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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-30110-2020

Date of Decision: 05.10.2020

Hargobind Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. K. S. Virk, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Anmol Malik, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. K. S. Brar, Advocate for the complainant.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition for regular bail under Section 439 Cr.P.C. on behalf of the petitioner, in case FIR No. 121 dated 02.06.2019, under Sections 147, 149, 302 and 120-B of the IPC, 1860 and 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Kalanwali, District Sirsa.

[2]. The petitioner by now has remained in detention more than 1 year and 3 months after having been arrested on 12.06.2019.

[3]. Learned Counsel for the petitioner has drawn the attention of the Court to the FIR and submits that, admittedly, the petitioner is not named as an accused therein. He has, however, been subsequently implicated on the strength of the disclosure statements of other accused persons as also his own disclosure statement given before the police authorities, which statements *per se* are not admissible.

[4]. The petitioner, therefore, stands on identical footing with co-accused Talwinder Singh who was granted regular bail by a Coordinate

Bench of this Court in CRM-M-16006-2020 on 15.07.2020. In such circumstances and considering the long detention undergone by the petitioner, he is ordered to be released on regular bail subject to appropriate terms and conditions to the satisfaction of the Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

[5]. Disposed off.

05.10.2020

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
2. Whether reportable: Yes/No