

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

CRM-M-37101-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 04.02.2020

Ramesh @ Pahalwan

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN

Present : Mr. Sunil Saharan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Manish Bansal, DAG, Haryana.

RAMENDRA JAIN, J. (Oral)

Mr. Sunil Saharan, Advocate has filed fresh vakalatnama on behalf of petitioner, superseding earlier counsel. Same is taken on record. Be tagged at appropriate place.

Through instant petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. prayer has been made for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in a case arising from FIR No.195 dated 27.11.2018, registered under Sections 395, 201 IPC, at Police Station Garhi, District Jind.

According to prosecution, on 27.11.2018, petitioner alongwith his four accomplice snatched a purse of complainant, containing Rs.49,820/-. Out of said amount, Rs.14,000/- and a motorcycle used in the commission of crime were recovered, on his disclosure statement.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that out of total five accused, four co-accused namely Pritam @ Ritu, Rahul @ Monu and another, and Sandeep @ Bheem have been enlarged on bail by the Coordinate Bench vide orders dated 30.05.2019, 24.07.2019 and 19.09.2019 in CRM-M-13262, 30267

and 33131-2019 respectively. Petitioner is in custody since 27.11.2018. Conclusion of trial may take a sufficient long time. No useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner any more in jail.

On the other hand, learned State counsel vehemently opposed the grant of regular bail to the petitioner.

Considering overall facts and circumstances, but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, treating the case of petitioner on parity with that of his above co-accused, the petition is allowed. Consequently, petitioner Ramesh @ Pahalwan is ordered to be released on bail during pendency of trial, if not required in any other case, on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

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(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No