

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

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CRM-M-41866-2019 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION: 21.05.2020

ANIL KUMAR

... Petitioner (s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Vijay Kumar Sheoran, Advocate
for the applicant/petitioner.

Mr. Tanisha Peshawaria, DAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.336 dated 27.08.2019, under Sections 419, 420 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Rai, District Sonipat, Haryana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations in the FIR are that the petitioner is stated to have impersonated in the examination for the post of Constable. The petitioner is 22 years of age and is not involved in any other case. He is in custody for about 9 months since his arrest on 27.08.2019.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions received through email from SI Ranbir Singh, contends that challan has been filed but charges are yet to be framed.

Heard through video conferencing.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner, especially when the petitioner is 22 years of age, he is in custody for over 9 months, he is not involved in any other case of similar nature, the COVID-19 pandemic and the conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

21.05.2020.

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No