

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

CRM-M-27793 of 2021

DECIDED ON: 27th September, 2021

Surender Gautam @ Sunil @ Romeo

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

State of Haryana

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. V.K. Gupta, Advocate for petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

Due to COVID-19 situation, the Court is convened through video conference.

This second petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is filed seeking regular bail in case of FIR No.323 dated 23.10.2020, under Sections 341, 379-B IPC (later on under Sections 323, 325, 397 IPC added) and (under Section 379-B IPC deleted), registered at Police Station Pinjore, District Panchkula.

As per the allegations, Rs.2500/- and Innova car of the complainant was snatched in the incident that occurred on 23.10.2020 and injuries were inflicted. The petitioner was apprehended, recovery of Innova Car and purse was made from him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody since 5.11.2020 and conclusion of trial is likely to take time.

Learned State counsel on instructions submits that the petitioner is involved in six more cases. She further submits that while on bail in other cases, the petitioner was involved in the present FIR. The contention is that there are total twelve prosecution witnesses. Charges have been framed and earnest effort would be made to examine all the prosecution witnesses at the earliest.

Keeping in view the statement made by learned State counsel and the nature of allegations, no case is made out for grant of bail at this stage.

The petition is dismissed at this stage.

However, there is no doubt that in case a request is made by the prosecution before the Court concerned to proceed with the trial in the manner that the prosecution evidence would be concluded at the earliest, the same would be considered in accordance with law.

27th September, 2021

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**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>