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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-29424-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 30th JULY, 2021

PARDEEP KUMAR @ DEEPA

PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Sushil Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):

[1] The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

[2] This is a petition under Section 439 of Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in FIR No.49, dated 25th February, 2021, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 193 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Civil Lines Bhiwani, District Bhiwani.

[3] As per the case set up a forged insurance cover note was produced in a Motor Accident Claim's case. The allegations are that the petitioner acted as a mediator for procuring a forged insurance cover note.

[4] Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it is a case of false implication, no recovery is to be effected and petitioner was named in a disclosure statement. Reliance is placed upon the order dated 29th July, 2021 passed by the trial Court whereby, the co-accused was granted bail.

[5] Learned State counsel opposes the prayer for grant of regular

bail. She submits that the petitioner had played an active role being a mediator facilitating a forged insurance cover note.

[6] The petitioner is in custody since 28th June, 2021. He has clean antecedents. No recovery is to be made from the petitioner. His name was surfaced in a disclosure statement. The co-accused was granted bail by the trial Court. The petitioner is granted bail, subject to furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

[7] The petition is allowed.

[8] It is clarified that the observations made hereinabove shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE

30th JULY, 2021
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| 1. Whether speaking/ reasoned | : | Yes |
| 2. Whether reportable | : | No |