

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-17842-2022

Date of Decision: 5.5.2022

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....Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Manoj Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Naveen Kumar Sheoran, DAG, Haryana

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.64 dated 22.2.2021 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 379, 201 IPC at Police Station Purani Sabzi Mandi, Rohtak, District Rohtak.

FIR in this case was registered at the instance of complainant- Rajni and she alleged that some unknown person had committed theft of her purse containing ₹ 10,000/-, Aadhar Card, Pan Card, gold earrings and some other documents. During the investigation of the case, the present petitioner was arrested on 20.10.2021 and as per prosecution case, out of the stolen amount ₹ 8600/- were recovered from his possession. After completion of investigation, now the trial is going on. It will take time for culmination of the trial.

As per State counsel, the petitioner is involved in 18 other cases of similar nature. Counsel for the petitioner, while refuting this fact, contends that he is not absconding in any other criminal case and has already been granted bail in 17 other cases. Further it will take time for conclusion of trial. Thus, no useful purpose is going to be served by keeping the petitioner in custody for any further period.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

May 5, 2022

Paritosh Kumar

**(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No