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AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-54285-2021  
Date of Decision: 27.04.2022

Ravinder Singh @ Sunny

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI**

Present: Mr. Jagjeet Singh, Advocate for  
Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Thind, DAG, Punjab.

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**JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J.(ORAL)**

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.62, dated 24.04.2021 under Sections 379-B(2) and 34 IPC, 1860 (offence under Sections 411 and 201 of IPC, 1860 added later on) registered at Police Station Goindwal Sahib, District Tarn Taran.

2. It has been submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is in custody from 25.04.2021 and thereafter the investigation of the case has been completed and the complainant has also been examined. He submitted that the complainant has turned hostile and it is a case where the allegations were that the petitioner along with one other person had snatched an amount of Rs.2600/- along with three aadhaar cards, 3 ATM cards, one spectacle and one handkerchief. He submitted that the present case was falsely planted upon the petitioner and the complainant has himself turned hostile. He submitted that the petitioner has clean antecedents and is not involved in any

other case and the trial of the case may take long time and therefore, he may be considered for the grant of concession of regular bail.

3. On the other hand, learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Surjeet Singh has submitted that it is correct that the petitioner is in custody from 25.04.2021 and the complainant has turned hostile by deposing before the learned trial Court. He further submitted that it is also correct that the petitioner is not involved in any other case

4. I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

5. It is a case where investigation of the case has been completed and during examination, the complainant has turned hostile as per the learned counsel for the parties. Even otherwise, the subject matter of snatching was an amount of Rs.2600/- along with three aadhaar cards, 3 ATM cards, one spectacle and one handkerchief. The petitioner is not involved in any other case and has clean antecedents and trial of the case may take long time.

6. Therefore, considering the totality of facts and circumstances of the present case, this Court deems it fit and proper to grant bail to the petitioner. Consequently, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing adequate bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

7. It is made clear that the aforesaid observations would not mean anything on the merits of the case, as the same are only for the purpose of deciding the present petition.

**( JASGURPREET SINGH PURI )**  
**JUDGE**

**April 27, 2022**

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