

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-29245-2022
Date of Decision:-01.05.2023

INDERVIR SINGH @ KALI

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

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Present:- Mr. J.S. Jaidka, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Hakam Singh, AAG, Punjab.

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KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking grant of regular bail in a case having FIR No.70 dated 16.4.2022 registered under Sections 379-B, 34 IPC, at Police Station Moti Nagar, District Ludhiana.
2. As per the report submitted by the trial Court, now the parties have settled their dispute and got recorded their statements in compromise quashing petition having CRM-M-15620-2023. Even the counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner has apprised the Court that the matter has been compromised and in the aforesaid compromise quashing petition, the order was passed by this Court on 28.3.2023

with direction to the parties, to get record their statements by appearing in the Court concerned.

3. The instant petition is resisted by the State counsel, who submits that there are allegations against the petitioners that he along with his accomplices attacked the complainant and snatched his wallet, sliver chain and bracelet. However, the State counsel has not disputed the fact that the petitioner is in custody for the last more than 1 year.
4. It is apparent that alleged occurrence took place on 12.4.2022 and the FIR was registered on 16.4.2022. However, it appears that now the matter has been compromised between the parties and the petition filed by the accused seeking quashing of FIR is pending for 9.8.2023 and as per the report submitted by the trial Court, parties have recorded their statements admitting the factum of compromise. So no fruitful purpose is going to be served by prolonging judicial custody of the petitioner for indefinite period.
5. Thus, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned.

01.05.2023
Gaurav Sorot

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned / speaking?	Yes / No
Whether reportable?	Yes / No

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