

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

**CRM-M No. 6960 of 2024 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 14.02.2024**

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..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Sanwar Ali, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajiv Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana

HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner, by way of present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C., seeks grant of regular bail pending trial in case bearing FIR No.827, dated 17.11.2023, under Sections 379-A & 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Kundli, District Sonipat (Haryana), whereby the petitioner has been implicated with the allegations of having snatched a mobile phone (Realme 9SG) from the complainant-Manoj Kumar.

[2] Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the investigation in the present case stands concluded with the filing of challan and the petitioner is in custody since 18.11.2023 besides he is ready to compensate the complainant for non-refundable sum of Rs. 15,000/- without prejudice to his rights in the trial; thus, prayer is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner.

[3] On the other hand, learned State counsel vehemently opposes the prayer while submitting that such kind of incidence are on rise in the

society as also considering the short custody period of the petitioner, he does not deserve the concession of regular bail.

[4] I have heard learned counsel for the parties and gone through the paper-book. I find substance in the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

[5] In the present case, the petitioner is in custody for the last about three months and investigation already stands concluded with the filing of challan; the trial is likely to take some time; the petitioner, who is stated to be a young boy of 25 years’ age, is not involved in any other criminal case besides he on his own volition is ready to compensate the complainant for a non-refundable sum of Rs. 15,000/- (Fifteen Thousand only) without prejudice to his rights in the trial.

[6] In view of the above, but without commenting upon merits of the present petition, the same is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing adequate bail bonds / surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Trial Court/Illaq Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned. The petitioner shall deposit an amount of Rs. 15,000/- at the time of furnishing of his bail bonds and the same shall be released to the complainant upon due verification.

February 14, 2024
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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No