



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

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CRM-M-22525-2024

Date of Decision: 16.05.2024

SUNNY

.....Petitioner

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present: Mr. A.S, Sra, Advocate for
Mr. H.S. Sehgal, Advocate
the petitioner.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.169 dated 25.10.2023 under Sections 379B, 34 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Section 411 IPC added later on) registered at Police Station City Muktsar, District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab).

2. At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner contends that similarly placed co-accused Manish Kumar and Ajay have already been allowed bail by this Court vide orders dated 09.04.2024 passed in CRM-M-16434-2024 (Annexure P-2); and 16.04.2024 passed in CRM-M-17347-2024 (Annexure P-3) respectively.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Sahil R. Bakshi, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent- State.

5. The FIR had been lodged on the basis of secret information to the effect that the petitioner is habitual of committing theft of mobile



phones from the passersby after causing injuries to them with deadly weapons and that they used to run away and sell the mobile phones in the Jalalabad City.

6. Learned State counsel contends that stolen motor-cycle was recovered from the petitioner.

7. However, learned State Counsel concedes that there is no FIR regarding any snatching of the mobile or the motor-cycle.

8. As per the custody certificate placed on record, the petitioner is in custody for the last 06 months and 20 days, though involved in one more case.

9. Co-accused namely Manish Kumar and Ajay have already been allowed bail, who are similarly placed.

10. In view of the afore-said facts and circumstances and on the basis of parity, but without commenting anything further on merits of the case, petition is allowed. Petitioner is admitted to regular bail on his furnishing requisite bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned, on usual terms and conditions.

Allowed.

16.05.2024

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(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

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