

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-50834-2023
Date of Decision: 26.2.2024

Davinder Singh

....Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Lakhwinder Singh Lakhanpal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Inderjeet Singh Ladher, DAG, Punjab.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.

Prayer in the present petition under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.112 dated 26.7.2022 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 379-B IPC at Police Station Jodhewal, District Ludhiana.

2. The allegations in brief are that on 26.7.2022, the police received secret information against the petitioner and thereafter, on the same day, the petitioner was arrested by the police and two stolen mobile phones and one stolen motorcycle were recovered from his possession.

3. The alleged recovery is already effected in the present case and the petitioner is in custody for the last more than 1 year and 7 months. It is a matter of evidence as to whether any offence under Section 379-B IPC is made out against the accused petitioner. It will take time for conclusion of the trial. So, in the given circumstances, no useful purpose is going to be served by detaining 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 regular bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

February 26, 2024
Paritosh Kumar

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