

**IN THE COURT OF MANJINDER,
ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE-FAST TRACK,
SPECIAL COURT, SANGRUR.
(UID Number PB0181)**

Bail Application no.3210 of 10.092025
CNR no. PBSG 01008076-2025
Decided on15.09.2025

Rahul @ Mitha, son of Mohan Lal, resident of Ward no.8, Lanka Basti,
Dhuri, Tehsil Dhuri, District Sangrur.

... Applicant-accused

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

FIR no. 215 dated 10.06.2020
Under Sections 457, 380, 411 IPC
Police Station Sadar Dhuri
**Bail Application under Section 483 BNSS
for the grant of regular bail.**

Present: Sh.R.K.Singla, Advocate, counsel for applicant-
accused
Sh. Yashdeep Bhardwaj, Addl.PP for the State

ORDER

1. An application for grant of regular bail in a case FIR no. 215 dated 10.06.2020 under Sections 457, 380, 411 of IPC, Police Station Sadar Dhuri, has been filed on behalf of applicant-accused.

2. Upon notice, Sh. Yashdeep Bhardwaj, Addl. PP appeared on behalf of State.

3. I have heard the learned counsel for the applicant-accused and learned Addl. PP for the State and have gone through the record.

4. Learned counsel for the applicant-accused has submitted that the applicant-accused is innocent. He has not committed any offence. The police of P.S.Sadar Dhuri earlier registered the said FIR against

unknown person and later on police of P.S.Sadar Dhuri has falsely implicated the applicant in this case. The supplementary challan qua accused/applicant has been presented. He is in custody since long. The conclusion of trial will take time. No useful purpose would be served by detaining the applicant-accused behind the bars. So, the bail application of the applicant-accused be allowed.

5. On the other hand, learned Addl. Public Prosecutor for the State has opposed the bail application on the ground that a serious offence has been committed by the applicant-accused and seven other cases have already been registered against him and as such, he is a habitual offender. So, the bail application of the applicant-accused be dismissed.

6. Prosecution case is that in the intervening night of 08/09.06.2020, 200 wheat bags worth Rs. 1,95,000/- were stolen by some unknown persons from the Godown M/s Gupta Open Plinth, Dhuri which was taken on rent by the PUNGRAIN department. Accused Gurmukh Singh and 8 other persons arrested in a case FIR no. 200 dated 13.06.2020 under Sections 399, 402 of IPC Police Station Sadar Dhuri, during investigation of that case, had disclosed that in the intervening night of 08/09.06.2020, they along with co-accused Rahul alias Mitha who had fled away from the spot, had committed the theft of 200 wheat bags from the godown of M/s Gupta Open Plinth, Dhuri. So they all were nominated as accused in this case and were arrested in this case. Accused Rahul alias Mitha had fled away and he was arrested in this case on 09.04.2025 on the basis of secret information received by ASI Jabra

Nand. Thus, the applicant-accused has delayed the proceedings of the case. Further, it has also been submitted by the learned Addl. PP for the State that seven more cases have already been registered against him and he is a habitual offender. Thus, the allegations against the accused of causing loss to the State exchequer to the tune of Rs.1,95,000/- by stealing wheat bags, are serious in nature. So, keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and the nature of the allegations and the conduct of the applicant-accused, the bail application of the applicant-accused is dismissed. Any observation made in this order shall have no effect on the merit of the case. Police record be returned. File be consigned to the record room.

Pronounced in open court
Dated: 15.09.2025.

(Manjinder)
Additional Sessions Judge-
Fast Track, Special Court,
Sangrur. (UID Number PB0181)

(Mamta Threja)
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