

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

CRM No.M-23131 OF 2015
DATE OF DECISION : 24th JULY, 2015

Jaspreet Singh @ Babbi

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER GUPTA

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Present : Mr. A.P.Kaushal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Amritpal Singh Gill, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

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SURINDER GUPTA, J. (ORAL)

This petition has been filed for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case bearing FIR No.22 dated 08.04.2012 registered at Police Station Longowal, District Sangrur for offences punishable under Sections 307, 148 read with Section 149 and Section 25 of the Arms Act.

Heard.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Amritpal Singh Gill, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in court, accepts notice and submits that intimation by Registry informing of fixation of the application has already been received and record of the case is available with him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that during the trial in case bearing FIR No.22 dated 08.04.2012 the petitioner absented on 29.09.2014 as an FIR No.98 dated 03.09.2014 was registered against him

for offence punishable under Section 308 IPC. In that case he was arrested on 30.10.2014 and since then he is in custody in this case.

Keeping in view the above facts, and the fact that the accused was on bail in this case and the trial is going on, but without commenting anything on merits of the case, the petition is allowed. Petitioner-Jaspreet Singh @ Babbi is ordered to be released on regular bail on furnishing bail bond and surety bond to the satisfaction of the Trial Court/Duty Magistrate, Sangrur subject to following terms:-

1. The petitioner shall comply with the conditions mentioned in Section 437(3) Cr.P.C.
2. In the event of his absence on any date of hearing, the benefit of bail allowed to the petitioner shall stand withdrawn. The trial Court shall be competent to cancel his bail bond and surety bond and proceed to procure his presence in accordance with law. In that eventuality the petitioner shall have to apply for bail afresh before the trial Court.
3. He shall not leave the country without previous permission of the Court.

23rd July, 2015
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(SURINDER GUPTA)
JUDGE