

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

CRM-M No.27917 of 2015

Date of Decision: 02.09.2015

Pradeep

..... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Perdhuman Yadav, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.K.Doan, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana
for the respondent along with ASI Sanjay Kumar.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The prayer is for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.366 dated 26.09.2014, under Sections 302, 202, 34 of IPC and Section 25/54/59 of the Arms Act, registered with Police Station Gannaur, District Sonapat.

The case of the prosecution is based on the circumstantial evidence in the shape of a disclosure statement of the main accused-Ravinder, who stated to have stabbed the deceased-Surjeet @ Bhola and got the weapon of the offence i.e. *Knife* recovered, hidden from his house. The other evidence is of last seen by the complainant-father.

As per the allegations surfaced in the investigation, the petitioner-Pradeep along with co-accused Ram Mehar @ Sanjay Kumar are stated to have caught hold of the deceased, while the main accused-Ravinder inflicted the fatal stab injuries with *knife*.

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from ASI Sanjay Kumar, concedes that the charges were framed on 14.01.2015 and till now, no prosecution witness has been examined and the petitioner is in custody since 26.09.2014. He further submits that no other case is pending against the present petitioner. It is further conceded that the co-accused Ram Mehar @ Sanjay Kumar attributed the similar role has been granted bail by this Court, vide order dated 13.08.2015.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, keeping in view the custody period and the fact that the co-accused Ram Mehar @ Sanjay Kumar with similar role has already been granted bail, it is deemed appropriate to release the petitioner/accused-Pradeep on bail to the satisfaction of CJM/Duty Magistrate, Sonapat.

Disposed of.

September 02, 2015

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**