

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-28945-2015 (O & M)
Date of decision:09.09.2015

Balraj Singh alias Baja

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Aman Dhir, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Shilesh Gupta, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Kamal Narula, Advocate,
for the complainant.

Rajan Gupta, J. (oral)

This is a petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail to petitioner in a case registered against him vide FIR No.19 dated 11.03.2015 under Section 304/34 IPC and Sections 379 IPC and Section 21(3) Mines and Mineral Development and Regulation Act, 1957 (added later on), at Police Station Gidderbaha, District Muktsar.

According to learned counsel for the petitioner, there is not direct role attributed to the petitioner in the crime. Body of the deceased was found when the tractor-trolley was unloaded. According to him, petitioner is in custody since March 17, 2015. Thus, he may be enlarged on bail.

Learned State counsel has opposed the prayer for bail on the ground that allegations against the petitioner are serious.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and period of incarceration of the petitioner, I am of the considered view

that no useful purpose will be served by detaining the petitioner any longer. The trial may take long time to conclude. Thus, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on bail to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Sri Muktsar Sahib.

09.09.2015
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(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE