

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No. 35400 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of decision : December 23, 2015

Manpreet Singh @ Mani

..... Petitioner

v.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. KBS Mann, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashish Sanghi, DAG Punjab

1. **Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment ?**
2. **To be referred to the Reporters or not ?**
3. **Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest ?**

Ajay Tewari, J (Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of regular bail in case FIR No.87, dated 2.8.2014, registered under Sections 302/148/149/34 of the IPC, at Police Station Sangat, District Bathinda.

Custody certificate by way of affidavit of Manjeet Singh Sidhu, Deputy Superintendent, Central Jail, Bathinda has been filed.

Counsel for the petitioner has argued that a similarly situated co-accused, namely, Amritpal Singh @ Babbu, who was also named in the supplementary statement and to whom also there was no specific attribution, was granted bail by this Court vide order dated 21.9.2015 passed in CRM-M No.31176 of 2015, after one year of custody. As per the custody

certificate, the present petitioner has undergone one year three months and ten days of custody.

Counsel for the respondent has not denied the factual assertions.

In the circumstances, I regret my inability to take a different view. Bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court. Petition stands disposed of.

(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

December 23, 2015
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