

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

**CRM No. M-12749 of 2016
Date of decision: 30.05.2016**

RAVINDER RAVI

....PETITIONER

V/s.

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

Present: Mr. P.S. Ahluwalia, Advocate for the petitioner

Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, DAG, Punjab.

M.M.S.BEDI, J. (Oral)

Petitioner seeks concession of regular bail in a case registered at the instance of Gurbax Singh alleging that his brother Jagtar Singh @ Tari had been killed by Jugraj Singh @ Jograj Singh, Ravinder Ravi petitioner and Paramjit Kaur wife of the deceased in connivance with each other as they considered Jagtar Singh as an obstacle in the illicit relations between the petitioner and wife of the deceased.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the FIR was registered after a period of 14 days and that there is no medical evidence as no postmortem was conducted prior to the cremation of the deceased. It has been argued that there were three material witnesses against the petitioner i.e. Amrik Singh, Kewal Singh and the complainant. Amrik Singh and Kewal Singh were cited for establishing the circumstances of deceased having been last seen with Jugraj Singh and his dead body having been

thrown by two un-known persons in water reservoir. Both the witnesses Amrik Singh and Kewal Singh have been examined and they turned hostile. The complainant Gurbax Singh is stated to have died. It has been informed that out of total 11 witnesses, two have been examined.

Taking into consideration the statements of the witnesses recorded and the circumstance of complainant having died, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition with a direction to the trial Court to conclude the trial within a period of two months from the next date of hearing. In case, the trial is not concluded within a period of two months after the next date of hearing fixed before the trial Court, the trial Court shall release the petitioner on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to its satisfaction, after expiry of aforesaid period of two months.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

May 30, 2016
Divyanshi