

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-27022 OF 2016

DATE OF DECISION: August 12,2016

Fauja Ram @ Kartara and another

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Sh.Preetinder S. Ahluwalia, Advocate for the
petitioners.
Ms.Manpreet Dhaliwal, AAG, Punjab.

RITU BAHRI, J.(ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 439 CrPC for the grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.66 dated 22.7.2015 under Sections 304-B and 498-A IPC registered at Police Station Ghagga, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has referred to the Chemical Examiner Report which shows that no poison was detected in the content of exhibits. As per report Annexure P.5, the doctor finally opined regarding cause of death was choking. The petitioners are in custody since 3.8.2015. Out of twenty two witnesses, two witnesses have been examined and the

application has been moved under Section 319 CrPC for summoning of additional accused.

Learned State counsel does not dispute the custody period.

Keeping in view the period of custody already suffered by the petitioners and also the fact that the cause of death was choking and without going into the merits of the case, I deem it appropriate to grant them the concession of bail.

Accordingly, the petitioners are directed to be released on regular bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court/CJM/Duty Magistrate, Patiala.

The petition stands disposed of.

August 12, 2016
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(Ritu Bahri)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No