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

CRM-M-29699-2016 (O&M)

Date of decision:05.12.2016

Lal Singh

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

Present: Mr. Tarunver Vashist, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J.(Oral)

CRM-28767-2016

Prayer in this application filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for placing on record the copy of statement of PW1 Jai Parkash-complainant as Annexure P-2.

For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed and the document-Annexure P-2 is taken on record subject to all just exceptions.

CRM-M-29699-2016

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner-Lal Singh in case FIR No.79 dated 01.05.2015 under Sections 302, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Patran, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner is aged about 75 years and is a maternal uncle of Pinki. The FIR is registered

for the murder of Pawan Kumar son of Jai Parkash. As per the allegation made in the FIR, Pawan Kumar had illicit relation with Pinki-granddaughter of petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that there is no direct allegation against the petitioner and he is in custody for the last about 1 year and 5 months. The only allegation is that the murder took place in connivance with the petitioner.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Satpal Singh, submits that irrespective of age, petitioner has connived in the murder of Pawan Kumar for the reason that he has illicit relations with his granddaughter, namely, Pinki.

Heard, learned counsel for the parties.

Petitioner is in custody for the last 1 year and 5 months. He is maternal grandfather of Pinki. Only one witness has been examined out of total 27 witnesses. Since trial in the case will take sufficient long time and the petitioner is an old man of 75 years, he is admitted on bail subject to his furnishing fresh bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Accordingly, present petition stands allowed.

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No.
Yes/No.