

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

Date of decision : September 24, 2016

1. CRM-M No.31708 of 2016

Satyawan vs State of Haryana

2. CRM-M No.31821 of 2016

Sandeep vs State of Haryana

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Sanjeev Kodan, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Kuldeep Tiwari, Addl. AG Haryana

Mr. Jitender Nara, Advocate
for the complainant.

Ajay Tewari, J (Oral)

This order shall dispose of the aforesaid petitions as they arise from the same FIR.

The petitioners seek grant of regular bail in case FIR No.158, dated 7.3.2015, registered under Sections 148, 149, 302, 342, 120-B of the IPC and Sections 25, 27, 54, 59 of the Arms Act, at Police

Counsel for the petitioners has argued that both the petitioners have been in custody for approximately 1½ years and the only allegation against them is that they along with about 8 or 10 persons held the deceased on the ground, while the main accused Vikas fired at him and now the main accused is in jail.

Learned Addl. AG Haryana as well as counsel for the complainant have accepted the period of custody undergone by the petitioners but have argued that as regards the petitioner-Satyawan, he is the main conspirator since he was the person who owed money to the deceased-Jagpal and made all the plans to eliminate him.

Be that as it may, without commenting upon the merits of the case, and considering the role of the petitioners they played in killing the deceased, as well as keeping in view the period of custody already suffered by the petitioners, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of regular bail to the petitioners.

Bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

Petition stands disposed of.

September 24, 2016
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No