

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-17724-2017

Date of Decision:- 23.05.2017

Bachittar Singh and another

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

**Present: Mr. Vivek K. Thakur, Advocate,
for the petitioners.**

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab.

RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral)

Present petition is for release of petitioner on regular bail in FIR No.58 dated 11.02.2013, under Section 304-B IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Jalandhar, District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have been arrested on 02.12.2016 and they were declared proclaimed offenders on 27.05.2013. Brother of petitioner No.1 and father were convicted by the trial Court, vide judgment and order dated 05.12.2013 and thereafter their sentences have now been suspended by this Court, vide orders dated 25.07.2014 and 18.09.2015 (Annexures P-2 and P-3) respectively. Petitioners are in custody since 02.12.2016 and they have no role to pay in the commission of the offence.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties and with their able assistance gone through the material available on record.

The petitioners were arrested on 02.12.2016. Since then, they are in judicial custody and no useful purpose would be served to further detain them in jail. The final conclusion of trial will take a long time.

In view of above facts, the present petition is allowed. The petitioners are ordered to be released on regular bail on their furnishing adequate bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Judge/Duty Magistrate, Jalandhar.

Needless to mention that, nothing observed here-in-above, would reflect, on merits in the trial of the main case, in any manner.

May 23, 2017
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(**RITU BAHRI**)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	No