

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-23922 of 2017
Date of Decision:-01.09.2017**

Hardeep Singh @ Suraj

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present:- Mr. Jashandeep Singh Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Grewal, Additional A.G., Punjab.

FATEH DEEP SINGH J.(Oral)

Allegations against the petitioner Hardeep Singh @ Suraj in this petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in case FIR No.04 dated 12.1.2016 registered at Police Station Tallewal Barnala, District Barnala, under Sections 307, 411 and 473 IPC, are that while the police party headed by SI Baljit Singh had signaled to stop the two cars make Maruti Ritz No.PB-4Q-4316 and Ford Figo No.PB-03-9540, the occupants of the same fired at them.

Contentions of the learned counsel for the petitioner are that the petitioner is behind the bars since 12.1.2016 and nothing is to be recovered from him except a .12 bore DBBL gun has already been

recovered from the petitioner. The trial is not likely to be concluded in near future.

On the other hand, learned State counsel vehemently opposed grant of bail to the petitioner on the ground that the petitioner is also facing six criminal trials and if allowed bail, would deter the witnesses from testifying.

Appreciating the fact that it being a case of no injury case and that as it has been contended by the petitioner's side that it is a case of rivalry with the police and culpability if any shall be determined at the time of trial as the investigation and the trial could not be concluded in near future and that further detention of the petitioner in the present case is unwarranted. Accordingly, he is ordered to be released on regular bail to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Barnala.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

September 01, 2017
Vijay Asija

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No