

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CrI. Misc. No. M-31932 of 2018

Date of Decision: July 30, 2018

Balbir Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Surinder Garg, Advocate for the petitioner

Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the FIR in which the petitioner has already been declared as proclaimed offender is of the year 1980. The petitioner was granted regular bail therein and thereafter he was arrested in a case under Section 302 IPC, in which he was ultimately acquitted. After his acquittal, the petitioner joined service with the Punjab State Electricity Board and continued in service till the year 2011. Post retirement, it came to light that the petitioner had been declared as proclaimed offender in the present FIR, although the petitioner was never served in the said case. Now, his retiral dues are not being disbursed on the ground that he has been declared as proclaimed offender.

Notice of motion.

Mr. R.S. Bains, DAG Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent. Let two copies of the petition be supplied to him during the course of the day.

The petition is disposed of with direction to the petitioner to surrender before the trial Court on or before 06.08.2018 and move an application for grant of regular bail. In case such an application is filed, the same shall be allowed by the trial Court subject to its satisfaction.

July 30, 2018

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[SUDHIR MITTAL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No