

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No. M-34259-2018

Date of Decision: 16.08.2018

Hardeep Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and another

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Jagdish Singh Mahal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. M.S. Bajwa, Advocate for the complainant.

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Inderjit Singh, J.

Petitioner Hardeep Singh has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.91 dated 14.08.2017, registered at Police Station Sadar Batala, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur, under Section 307 of Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion has been issued.

Learned State counsel and counsel for the complainant have appeared and contested the instant petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

Learned counsel for the complainant stated that the parties have already effected a compromise. The FIR was registered on the statement of complainant-Baljeet Kaur, who is the wife of the petitioner and now she is residing in her matrimonial house.

As argued by learned State counsel, the burn injuries were found from 12 to 14 % only.

The petitioner has been in custody since 19.12.2017. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of the case will take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the fact that the compromise has been effected between the complainant and the petitioner; keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

16.08.2018
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No