

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-3548-2018

Date of Decision: March 20, 2018

Pawan @ Pona

.....Petitioner.

versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Parveen Dahiya, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Nishchal Mann, DAG, Haryana.

Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner Pawan @ Pona son of Ramesh, seeks grant of regular bail in case FIR No.98, dated 07.08.2017, registered at Police Station Moohana, District Sonapat, under sections 307, 323, 458, 506 & 450 (Added later on during investigation) IPC and section 25 of the Arms Act,1959.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has been in custody since 08.08.2017. Investigation is complete and whatever recovery had to be made been effected, has also been effected. The trial is not likely to be completed at an early date and therefore, the petitioner deserves to be released on regular bail. He has also placed reliance upon the statements of PW-3 (mother of the injured) and PW-4 (daughter of the injured) and has submitted that there are major discrepancies therein. As per the evidence on record, the presence of the petitioner

at the spot is not conclusively established.

3. The prayer of the learned counsel for the petitioner is opposed by learned State counsel on the ground that recovery of knife has been effected from him and grievous injury has been caused by him. It is however, not denied that the trial may not be concluded at an early date as a number of prosecution witnesses have yet to be examined.

4. Keeping in view the totality of the facts and circumstances of this case, it would be just and appropriate to release the petitioner on regular bail during the pendency of the trial.

5. Thus, the petition is allowed. Petitioner-Pawan @ Pona son of Ramesh, is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court concerned at Sonapat.

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No