

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-35207-2017

Date of Decision: April 30, 2018

Karanjit Singh alias Lali @ Karamjit Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Ms. Gursharan K Mann, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner-Karanjit Singh alias Lali @ Karamjit Singh son of Sh. Joginder Singh, seeks grant of regular bail in case FIR No.0129, dated 22.09.2016, under sections 307/324/326/452/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Gharinda, District Amritsar Rural.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that FIR was registered after delay of three days and that the injuries attributed to the petitioner are on non-vital parts of the body of the complainant i.e. on the right elbow, right palm and left elbow. The petitioner has been in custody since 10.04.2017 and the investigation is complete. Moreover, the complainant, eye-witnesses and the Doctor have also been examined and therefore, no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner in custody indefinitely.

3. Custody certificate, dated 30.04.2018, issued by Sh. Rajiv Kumar Arora, Deputy Superintendent, Central Jail, Amritsar, has been filed in Court today and the same is taken on record. According to the certificate, the petitioner has already undergone actual custody of one year and eighteen days.

4. Learned State counsel submits that the complainant had suffered eight injuries on his body, out of which, three were inflicted by the petitioner and all of them are grievous in nature. However, he does not dispute the fact that the material witnesses have already been examined during the course of the trial.

5. In view of the fact that the material witnesses in the case have already been examined and that the petitioner has been in custody for the last over one year, it would be just and appropriate to release the petitioner on regular bail.

6. Thus, the petition is allowed. Petitioner-Karanjit Singh alias Lali @ Karamjit Singh son of Sh. Joginder Singh, is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court concerned at Amritsar.

April 30, 2018

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[SUDHIR MITTAL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No