

Sr. No.214

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM -M-4672-2018

DATE OF DECISION: 23.04.2018

Manjinder Singh@Money

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. G.K.Maun, Advocate for the complainant.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner seeks benefit of regular bail pending trial in case FIR No. 69 dated 17.05.2017 under Sections 452/323/324/380/427/336/307/325/120-B/201/148/149/IPC and Section 34 IPC (offence under Sections 307/120-B/148/149 IPC stands deleted) , registered at Police Station Sadar Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

Counsel for the parties have been heard.

The FIR came to be registered on the statement of Kamaljit Kaur in relation to an occurrence dated 16.05.2017. Injured is stated to be Surjit Singh i.e. husband of the complainant.

Complainant who is an eye-witness to the alleged occurrence has alleged that the present petitioner was armed with a revolver and had fired at her husband i.e. Surjit Singh.

Petitioner was arrested on 06.06.2017.

It has gone uncontroverted that the medical record of injured Surjit Singh does not reflect any fire-arm injury.

No fire-arm has been recovered from the petitioner.

It is also the conceded position of fact that during the course of investigation, offence under Section 307 IPC stands deleted.

Investigation is complete and challan stands presented.

Trial is at the very initial stage and would take time to conclude.

Without making any observation on merits and keeping in view the length of incarceration already suffered,by the petitioner, he is held entitled to the benefit of bail.

Petition is allowed.

Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Liberty, however, is granted to the prosecution to seek cancellation of bail in the eventuality of the petitioner making an attempt to intimidate any of the prosecution witnesses including any threat to complainant or the injured.

Disposed of.

23.04.2018

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| 2. Whether reportable? | Yes/No |