

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-5545 of 2018

Date of Decision:09.03.2018

Manjinder Singh @ MindiPETITIONER
Vs.

State of HaryanaRESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present: Mr.G.S. Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr.R.K. Makkar, Sr. DAG, Hayrana.

RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J.(Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.224, dated 13.08.2016 (Annexure P-1) for the offence under Sections 302, 120-B, 34 IPC and 25 and 27 of the Arms Act, registered at Police Station Kalanwali, District Sirsa, during the pendency of trial.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is not involved in the present case. Even the prosecution witnesses examined so far, including the father and mother of the deceased, have not supported the prosecution case. It is further contended that the only reliance of the prosecution is upon the report of the Forensic Science Laboratory. However, even as per the FSL report, the weapon allegedly recovered from the petitioner has not matched with the fired cartridge recovered from the body of the deceased. Still further it is contended by the counsel that he has been in custody for the past one year and seven months and other co-accused have already been granted bail in the case.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case, the case of the petitioner appears to be at par with his co-accused.

Keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has already been in custody for one year and seven months and trial is likely to take some more time to conclude, he is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

**(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE**

**09.03.2018
Anjal**

Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No