

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

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**C.R.M-M No.6624 of 2019
Date of Decision : 01.03.2019**

Jeet @ Ranjit Singh

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. S.S. Goraya, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, D.A.G., Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (ORAL)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.66 dated 08.10.2018 registered under Sections 307, 324, 323, 148, 149, 427, 342, 120-B IPC at Police Station Division No.1, Pathankot.

On 20.02.2019 the following order was passed:-

“Custody certificate dated 19.2.2019 by way of affidavit of Balwinder Singh, P.P.S., Deputy Superintendent, Sub Jail, Pathankot has been filed on behalf of the respondent-State, the same is taken on record. Copy has been supplied to the opposite counsel. As per the custody certificate the petitioner has been in custody for 1 month and 27 days.

Counsel for the petitioner has stated that apart from the other facts the victim has exculpated the petitioner by stating that petitioner was not present at the spot.

Learned DAG seeks time to verify this fact.

Adjourned to 1.3.2019.”

Learned Deputy Advocate General on instructions from ASI Lekh Raj has accepted the fact that the victim has exculpated the petitioner.

Keeping in view the entire conspectus of facts and the period of incarceration already suffered by the petitioner, without going into the merits of the case, I deem it appropriate to grant regular bail to the petitioner. Ordered accordingly. Bail to the satisfaction of the concerned C.J.M/Illaqa Magistrate.

Petition stands allowed.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

(**AJAY TEWARI**)
JUDGE

March 01, 2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No