

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

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**CRM-M no. 19944 of 2019  
Date of Decision : 22.10.2019**

**Jatinder Singh @ Rajan @ Rana**

**.....Petitioner**

**v.**

**State of Punjab**

**.....Respondent**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present : Mr. L.S. Sekhon, Advocate, for  
Mr. Veneet Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner

Mr. B.S. Sewak, Addl. AG, Punjab

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**Amol Rattan Singh, J. (Oral)**

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a resident of Amritsar and not of Verka (allegedly), and he was not aware of the proceedings against him, leading to him being declared as a proclaimed offender, with him now having been in custody for the past about 7 months, with the trial still not anywhere near conclusion.

That being so, with learned State counsel also not denying on instructions of ASI Balkar Singh, that 10 PWs still remain to be examined, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)  
JUDGE**

**22.10.2019**

*Ashwani*

Speaking/Reasoned  
**Reportable**

Yes  
**No**