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

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Date of Decision: 22.05.2019

Sukhjeet Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Arun Takhi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

INDERJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.94 dated 04.07.2018, registered at Police Station Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur, under Sections 364, 365 and 304 of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion has been issued. Learned State counsel has appeared and contested the instant petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

As per the prosecution version, deceased, namely, Harpreet Singh alias Manga, was taken away by Sukhjeet Singh @ Sukha (present petitioner) but later on, dead body of Harpreet Singh alias Manga was found. As per the prosecution version, the deceased died due to

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overdose of drugs. As per the report of chemical examiner, no poison was found in the body of the deceased. There was also no injury on the body of deceased. It is not the case that the deceased had died due to any injury.

The petitioner is in custody since 05.07.2018. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of case may take a long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail; without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case and in view of the custody period, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

22.05.2019

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	No