

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

**CRM-M No.28472 of 2019
Decided on: 12.07.2019**

Trilok Singh @ Laddi

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

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

Mr. Jagmohan Ghumman, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (in short 'Cr.P.C.') in FIR No.63 dated 26.06.2017, for offence punishable under Sections 25/54/59 of the Arms Act, 1959 (Sections 17, 18, 19, 20 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967) registered at Police Station Bajakhana, District Faridkot.

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that as per the allegations in the FIR, the petitioner along with the co-accused was found involved in unlawful activities, however, no recovery of any arm was recovered from the petitioner. It is further submitted that the co-accused of the petitioner namely Jagjit Singh, has already been granted the concession of regular bail vide order dated 10.10.2018 passed in CRM-M No.36847 of 2018.

Counsel for the petitioner has further argued that the

petitioner is in custody since 29.01.2019 and the challan has been presented and out of 39 prosecution witnesses, no PW has been examined so far.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Malkit Singh, has not disputed the factual position but opposed the prayer for bail. Counsel for the State has also not disputed the fact that the co-accused of the petitioner has already been granted the concession of bail.

Without commenting anything on merits of the case, considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 29.01.2019; challan stands presented; no witness of the prosecution has been examined so far and the conclusion of the trial will take some time, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate/Duty Magistrate.

However, it will be open for the prosecution to apply for cancellation of bail of the petitioner, in case he is found involved in any other case or misusing the concession of bail, in any manner.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No