

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-32238-2019

Date of Decision: 14.10.2019

Balwinder Singh @ Lati

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Amandeep Saini, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sidakmeet Singh Sandhu, AAG, Punjab.

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Inderjit Singh, J. (Oral)

Petitioner Balwinder Singh @ Lati has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.0220 dated 11.10.2017, registered at Police Station Gate Hakima Amritsar, District Amritsar, under Sections 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion has been issued.

Learned State counsel 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 allegations in the FIR, the present petitioner is stated to have caught hold the deceased Gurmeet Singh and laid him down on the ground. No injury has been attributed to the petitioner.

The petitioner is in custody since 12.10.2017 i.e. for the last more than two years. He is not required for any investigation or

interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of the case may take 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 and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, 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 ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

14.10.2019
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	No