

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-44063-2019(O&M)

Date of decision: 07.11.2019

Ram Singh @ Ram Baba

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- Mr.Hitesh Verma, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl. AG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner prays for grant of regular bail in FIR No.182 dated 14.9.2018 registered under Sections 302, 34 IPC at Police Station Nathana, District Bathinda.

As per the case of the prosecution, Hakam Singh-deceased has been murdered. There is no eye witness. The case of the prosecution is based on circumstantial evidence. In the FIR it has been claimed that three persons including the petitioner had taken a loan from the deceased by mortgaging a chain of gold and for that reason the deceased has been killed.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has read over the deposition of first informant in the Court.

Petitioner is in custody since 16.9.2018. Conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time. As per the information supplied, petitioner is not involved in any other case.

Learned State counsel submits that prosecution has already

examined 6 witnesses out of total 15 witnesses proposed to be examined.

Without commenting on the merits of the case and keeping in view the aforesaid facts, it is considered appropriate to release the petitioner on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

Accordingly, present petition stands allowed.

07.11. 2019	(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes / No
Whether Reportable	Yes / No