

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-62303-2018 (O & M)

Date of Decision: 10.05.2019

BHAGAT SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Vikas Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. D.R. Singla, DAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 501, dated 23.07.2017, under Sections 324, 452, 506, 307, 201, 34 IPC and Sections 25 and 54 of the Arms Act, registered at Police Station Mujesar Faridabad, District Faridabad.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is not named in the FIR wherein it is alleged that the co-accused Ram Partap alias Sonu had attacked the complainant with a knife while other 2 persons who had accompanied him had attacked the other injured namely Vikram and Bhanu with knife. He further contends that the petitioner is alleged to be one of those persons who was accompanying Ram Partap @ Sonu while the other person has been identified as Manoj. He also states that the injured have fully recovered from their injuries and the other co-accused namely Ram Partap @ Sonu and Manoj have already been granted regular bail by the trial Court. He is in custody since 25.07.2017.

Learned State counsel on instructions from SI Satpal states that 15 out of 23 prosecution witnesses have been examined and the petitioner is also involved in another case under Section 379 IPC and 25, 54 and 59 of the Arms Act.

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner especially when the petitioner is in custody for over 1 year and 9 months, the co-accused of the petitioner have been granted bail and conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

May 10, 2019

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No