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

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Date of Decision: 30.01.2020

Krishan

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN

Present:- Mr. R.N. Lohan, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. Chetan Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

RAMENDRA JAIN, J. (ORAL)

Through instant second petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. prayer has been made for grant of regular bail to petitioner – Krishan in a case arising from FIR No.107 dated 28.04.2017 registered under Sections 307, 120-B, 34 IPC, Section 25 of the Arms Act and Section 3(2)(V) of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 at Police Station Julana, District Jind.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that petitioner is in custody since 13.05.2017. Conclusion of trial may take a sufficient long time. No useful purpose would be served by detaining the petitioner in jail any more.

Learned State counsel has fairly conceded that material prosecution witnesses have turned hostile.

Considering overall facts and circumstances, but without

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expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed. Consequently, petitioner – Krishan is ordered to be released on bail during pendency of trial, if not required in any other case, on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

January 30, 2020
R.S.

(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No