

CRM-M-25510-2020

Date of Decision:09.09.2020

Kartar Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Sandeep Verma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr.Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

All cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

By this petition, the petitioner seeks the concession of 'regular bail' under the provisions of Section 439 Cr.P.C., upon FIR No.271, dated 22.09.2017, having been registered at Police Station Sadar Ferozepur, District Ferozepur, alleging therein the commission of offences punishable under Sections 364, 302, 404, 201, 120-B, 148 and 149 of the IPC.

The petitioner having remained in custody for almost 3 years now and with him stated to be 75 years old, and only 2 prosecution witnesses out of 27 having been examined as per instructions of learned State counsel, and further, with other two co-accused of the petitioner already having been admitted to bail, in the aforesaid circumstances, without making any comment on the actual merits of the case, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be admitted to bail, upon him furnishing adequate bail and surety

bonds to the satisfaction of the trial court/CJM/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

(At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that actually 3 prosecution witnesses have been examined).

September 09, 2020

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(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : YES
Whether Reportable : NO