

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

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**CRM-M-55226-2019 (O&M)
Date of Order:17.08.2020**

DALJIT SINGH @ BABLA

..Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Balbir Kumar Saini, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

Hearing of the case was held through video conferencing on account of restricted functioning of the Courts.

This is second petition for grant of bail to the petitioner pending trial in a criminal case arising from FIR No.94, dated 16.05.2017, registered under Section 307/148/149 IPC and Section 25/27 of the Arms Act, 1959, at Police Station Jandiala, District Amritsar.

In brief, the case of the prosecution is that the first informant along with his friends, was on motorcycle when the petitioner along with two other boys chased them and thereafter, the petitioner fired a bullet from the pistol or rifle which hit the first informant on his right thigh. Thereafter, the petitioner along with other co-accused fired bullets in the air while fleeing from the site of incident.

No doubt, the petitioner is in custody for 01 year 05 months and 07 days. However, in the reply filed by the State, it has been stated that the petitioner is involved in 3 more criminal cases including one under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, this court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. However, the learned trial court is requested to make a sincere endeavour to conclude the trial expeditiously after the normal functioning of the Courts resumes.

Disposed of accordingly.

August 17, 2020
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No