

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

**CRM-M-18563-2021 (O&M)
DECIDED ON: 5th JULY, 2021**

LUCKY RAM

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Jasbir Singh Dadwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

This is a petition for regular bail in case FIR No. 259, dated 22nd December, 2020, under Sections 328 & 34 IPC and Section 307 added subsequently registered at Police Station Nangal.

Facts in brief are that complainant-Sanjeev Kumar was forcibly given an injection of poisonous substance by the petitioner and co-accused-Lakhan. He was taken to Civil Hospital from where he has been referred to PGI, Chandigarh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the co-accused was granted bail by this Court vide order dated 11th June, 2021 passed in CRM-M-21284-2021.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Balbir Singh, submits that it was a case of overdose of heroine.

The co-accused has been enlarged on bail by this Court and conclusion of trial is likely to take time, present petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing surety/bail bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

However, it is clarified that anything stated hereinabove shall not be construed as an expression on the merits of the case and is only for the purpose of deciding the bail application.

5th JULY, 2021
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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>