

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No. 130

CRM-M-40323-2021

Date of decision : 24.09.2021

Manjot Singh

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr.Navjot Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.
 Mr.J.S.Ghumman, DAG, Punjab.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing.

Through the present petition, the petitioner seeks interim bail to attend his grandfather's bhog ceremony who is stated to have died on 15.09.2021.

Learned State counsel, who appears on advance notice, submits that he has no objection if the petitioner is permitted to attend his grandfather's bhog ceremony but in police custody.

On one hand the petitioner's grandfather had died on 15.09.2021 and that his bhog ceremony is scheduled to be held on 26.09.2021 and on the other hand the petitioner is accused of murder with his uncle-co-accused, who is absconding.

Keeping in view the totality of the above circumstances, the petitioner is permitted to attend his grandfather's bhog ceremony scheduled to be held on 26.09.2021. Accordingly, after taking adequate security measures, the State shall take the petitioner, who is confined in Central Jail, Hoshiarpur, in police custody to Kapurthala at 8 a.m. on 26.09.2021 to attend his grandfather's bhog ceremony and bring him back on the same day at 5 p.m.

The petition is allowed in the above terms.

24.09.2021

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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

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