

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-17733-2021
Date of decision : 17.05.2022

Manjeet Singh @ Bobby

... Petitioner

Versus

State of U. T. Chandigarh.

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr.Saurav Bhatia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr.J.S.Toor, APP for U.T. Chandigarh.

Mr.Sandeep Godara, Advocate for
Mr.A.P.S.Rehan, Advocate
for the complainant.

VIKAS BAHL, J.(ORAL)

This is a first petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR no.55 dated 09.04.2017 registered under Sections 307, 336, 34 IPC and Section 25/27 of the Arms Act, 1959 (Sections 302, 473 IPC added and Section 307 IPC deleted later on) at Police Station Maloya, U. T. Chandigarh.

Learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for the complainant have pointed out that in the present case neither the complainant Nirmal Singh nor the son of the deceased namely Parminder Singh have been examined.

Learned counsel for the petitioner, in view of the above, seeks to withdraw the present petition, at this stage, however submits that the

custody period of the petitioner is now 9 months as per custody certiicae dated 18.04.2022 and thus, prays that the trial be expedited and said two witnesses be examined as expeditiously as possible.

In view the statement made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the present petition is dismissed as withdrawn, at this stage with liberty to file a fresh petition after the above said witnesses have been examined. The trial Court is requested to examine the said two witnesses as expeditiously as possible. The States of Punjab, Haryana and U. T. Chandigarh are directed to make all efforts to get the said witnesses examined either in person or through video conferencing. Counsel appearing for the accused in the trial Court is also directed to cooperate with the trial Court for expeditious examination of said witnesses.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

May 17, 2022
Davinder Kumar

Whether speaking / reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No