

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

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CRM-M-24087-2022 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 30.05.2022

GAGANDEEP SINGH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Aman Dhir, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.163 dated 06.11.2020, registered under Sections 302, 120-B and 34 IPC and Sections 460, 458 and 109 IPC (added later on), at Police Station Longowal, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has not been named in the FIR; that the petitioner has been indicted in the present case on the basis of the statement of Baldev Singh, which was recorded on 11.11.2020; that no injury has been attributed to the petitioner and that, at initial stage, the mother of the deceased had stated that 2-3 unknown persons had given beatings to her son and committed his murder.

I have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

The present FIR was lodged by Harpreet Kaur sister of deceased-Satveer Singh. As per the allegations, Veerpal Kaur (wife of the deceased) was having illicit relation with Rajinder Singh @ Vicky. On the day of the alleged occurrence, some muffled faced persons entered

the house of the deceased, gave him beating and had murdered him. There are serious, specific and direct allegations against the petitioner, who has also been named by Baldev Singh in his disclosure statement. Thus, to unearth the truth and to know the names of the other co-accused involved in the crime, custodial interrogation of the petitioner is a must.

In view of the above, no ground is made out to grant the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

30.05.2022

Aman Jain

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

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