

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-48847-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision : 9.5.2023

Rama

... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Ms. Arshdeep Kaur, Advocate, for
Mr. Yashpal Thakur, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. C.L.Pawar, Addl. AG, Punjab.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in criminal case having FIR No.110 dated 7.6.2021 registered under Sections 302, 120-B, 323, 506 IPC at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

2. The allegations in nutshell are that all the accused persons entered into a conspiracy and thereafter, in furtherance of the said conspiracy, co-accused Badal while driving white colour Verna car rammed the same against Rinku and ran over Baljit Kaur, as a result of which, Baljit Kaur sustained injuries and later on, died.

3. Counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* submits that as per prosecution version, petitioner-Rama was also sitting along side Badal in the aforesaid Verna car when the same hit against Baljit Kaur. She further submits that main-accused Badal faced trial and has been acquitted vide

judgment dated 4.5.2022 (Annexure P-3). He further submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation with the police in compliance of previous order.

4. State counsel on instructions from ASI Gurcharan Singh submits that the petitioner, who has joined investigation with the police, is not required for further investigation or custodial interrogation and that the challan has been prepared which will be filed very shortly in the Court concerned.

5. In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and order of interim bail dated 16.11.2022 is hereby made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

May 9, 2023
Paritosh Kumar

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