



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-22807-2024  
Date of decision : 28.05.2024

Ravi ..... Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana ..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN

Present: Mr. Balraj Gujjar, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Kumar Sehrawat, DAG, Haryana.

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PANKAJ JAIN, J. (Oral)

1. Present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case bearing FIR No.744 dated 05.12.2021, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 302, 120-B, 34, 364 and 201 of IPC, 1860 at Police Station City Palwal, District Palwal.
2. Status report by way of affidavit of Dinesh Kumar, HPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Palwal as well as custody certificate has been produced today in Court. The same are taken on record. As per the custody certificate, the petitioner has undergone actual custody of more than 02 years, 04 months and 22 days.
3. As per the case of the prosecution, during the course of investigation, it was revealed that wife of deceased Ram Gopal was in illicit relationship with Bijender. She conspired with the paramour leading to murder of the deceased. Bijender is stated to be friend of



co-accused Ashok who helped him and Ashok is further stated to have nominated the present petitioner. It has been further claimed by the prosecution that Ravi-petitioner got recovered the slippers of the deceased Ram Gopal from Kikri along the road outside of his village Old Patli. However, State counsel is not in a position to dispute the said place is a public place and thus the knowledge of the slippers cannot be specifically attributed to the petitioner.

4. Co-accused Ashok already stands admitted to bail by this Court vide order dated 08.04.2024 passed in CRM-M-1738-2024. The petitioner has no criminal antecedents.

5. Thus, keeping in view the nature of allegation, the nature of evidence against the petitioner and the fact that co-accused has already been granted regular bail, the present petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

6. Needless to say nothing recorded herein shall be construed to be an expression of an opinion on the merits of the case.

(PANKAJ JAIN)  
JUDGE

28.05.2024

Dinesh

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| Whether speaking/reasoned : | Yes |
| Whether Reportable :        | No  |