



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

CRM-M-12791-2024

Date of decision : 19.08.2025

Abhishek

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

1. The petitioner has filed this petition for grant of regular bail in FIR No. 152 dated 14.07.2022, under Section 302, 34 IPC, registered at police Station Sadar Bahadurgarh, District Jhajjar.
2. None appeared on behalf of petitioner.
3. Learned State counsel has been heard and documents have been perused with his assistance.
4. The petitioner, who is in custody since 14.07.2022, is facing murder trial, where the prosecution case is based more on circumstantial evidence than the direct evidence. The petitioner has no criminal antecedents and the learned State counsel informs that out of twenty prosecution witnesses, fourteen, including the principal witnesses, have been examined.
5. In view of the above, the petitioner shall not be at the risk of influencing the prosecution story. However, due to gravity of the offence, this



Court is inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner, but with stringent conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail bond in the sum of Rs. 1,00,000/- with two sureties of Rs. 50,000/- each to the satisfaction of the trial court/Duty Magistrate and subject to the conditions stipulated in Section 480 (3) Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 [equivalent to Section 437 (3) Cr.P.C.], as well as the following conditions :-

- (i) the petitioner shall plant 10 saplings of indigenous plants at a public place and submit proof in that regard by way of photographs before the trial court within a period of 15 days and if there is no such intimation submitted or intimation is found to be incorrect, then the State can move an application for cancellation of bail of the petitioner; and
- (ii) the petitioner shall mark his attendance in the trial court once in a month.

7. The petition stands allowed.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

August 19, 2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No