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

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Date of Decision: 16.01.2025

Jagjit Singh @ Jeet

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

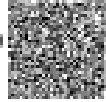
Present: Mr. Rajesh Bhatheja, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. J.S. Arora, DAG, Punjab.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.101, dated 02.09.2024, under Sections 105, 115(2), 117(2), 191(3) and 190 of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Badhni Kalan, District Moga.

2. As per facts of the case, the FIR was registered on the statement of complainant Wahegurupal Singh, wherein, it was alleged that he was admitted in de-addiction Centre, where, Jagseer Singh @ Jaggi was also admitted. On being discharged from there, he went to meet Jagseer Singh @ Jaggi on 18.08.2024, however, on returning at about 7:00 p.m., family of Jagseer Singh @ Jaggi gave him beatings. Due to receiving of injuries, he was admitted in the Hospital. Request was made to take legal action against the accused. However, later on 02.09.2024, the injured-complainant died. FIR was registered and the investigation commenced. Thereafter, Jagjit Singh @ Jeet (petitioner) was also arrayed as an accused in the FIR and was arrested on 04.09.2024. The petitioner approached the Court of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Moga praying for grant of regular bail, however,



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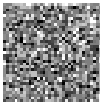
on hearing both the sides, learned Court declined the same vide order dated 25.10.2024. Hence, the petitioner is before this Court by way of filing the present petition praying for grant of regular bail.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the outset, prays for the grant of bail to the petitioner on the basis of parity with that of the co-accused, namely, Jagjit Singh, Gurtej Singh Dhillon and Shinder Singh @ Sukhwinder Singh. He has drawn the attention of this Court to the order dated 02.12.2024 passed in **CRM-M-48311-2024**, whereby, co-accused Shinder Singh @ Sukhwinder Singh has been granted anticipatory bail by this Court; order dated 06.11.2024 passed in **CRM-M-54160-2024**, whereby co-accused, namely, Gurtej Singh Dhillon has been granted the concession of regular bail by this Court and order dated 10.01.2025 passed in **CRM-M-65110-2024**, whereby, co-accused Jagjit Singh has been granted regular bail by this Court. He has submitted that the case of the petitioner is at par with the said co-accused. He submits that the petitioner is in custody since 04.09.2024. He submits that on the basis of the parity, the petitioner deserves to be granted bail as the case of the petitioner is similar to that of the said co-accused, who have already been granted bail.

4. Learned counsel for the State has endorsed the factum of grant of bail to the co-accused of the petitioner as stated above and has not denied that the petitioner is at par with the co-accused, namely, Jagjit Singh, Gurtej Singh Dhillon and Shinder Singh @ Sukhwinder Singh. He has submitted that the investigation is complete and challan is presented.

5. Heard.

6. After hearing learned counsel for the parties and perusing the



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record, it is apparent that the petitioner is behind bars since 04.09.2024. Co-accused, namely, Jagjit Singh, Gurtej Singh Dhillon and Shinder Singh @ Sukhwinder Singh are on bail and the case of the petitioner as stated is at par with them. Investigation is complete and challan is presented.

7. This Court would refrain itself from commenting anything on the merits of the case. Keeping in view the arguments raised by both the sides, this Court is of the opinion that learned counsel for the petitioner succeeds in making out a case for grant of regular bail to the petitioner on the basis of parity. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court/Duty Magistrate. Nothing said herein shall be treated as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

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(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE
Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No