

**In the court of Ms. Neelam Arora, Addl. Sessions Judge,
Hoshiarpur, UID No. PB0091**

B.A CIS No. 1641 of 2019
CNR No. PBH0010072252019
Date of order: 24.7.2019.

Manjit Singh @ Pinka son of Harbhajan Singh resident of village
Rahalli, P.S Chabbewal, District Hoshiarpur.

-Accused-applicant

Versus

State of Punjab

-- Respondent.

FIR No. 83 dated 26.6.2018
U/s 302,342,323,506,308,325 IPC
Police Station: Mehtiana, distt. Hoshiarpur.

Application for regular bail

Present: Shri R.S Bhogal, Advocate for applicant-accused.
Shri T.S Grewal Addl. PP for the State.

ORDER:

1. This order of mine shall dispose off an application for regular bail moved by the applicant-accused Manjit Singh @ Pinka.
2. As per allegations in brief, the present case was registered on the basis of statement of complainant Vidya Devi, wherein she stated that on 25.6.2018, in the night, there was a final match of football tournament in their village, where, she alongwith her daughter-in-law namely Nisha and her son Arpan Kumar with other co-villagers went to watch the match. Then, she and her daughter-in-law came back to their house at around 11:30 pm. Her son Arpan Kumar remained there and at about 3:30 am, on 26.6.2018, Raj s/o Karanjit and Inda s/o

Nirmal Dass came to their house and told them that after prize distribution, the persons namely Manjit Singh @ Pinka (present applicant-accused), Avtar Chand, Sokhi, Dr. Charanjit @ Satta and Joginder @ Doggar, Panch gave beatings to Arpan in the playground. Thereafter, he was picked up from there and was taken inside the house of Avtar Chand, Sarpanch. There, the wife of Sarpanch and three-four other persons gave beatings to him and tide him inside the house. They requested him to release Arpan as he was their friend, but they continued in giving beatings to him and made him half dead. When she and her daughter-in-law reached at the spot, Arpan Kumar was lying there unconscious. Therefore he was taken to the hospital and during treatment he died.

3. The learned counsel for the applicant-accused Sh R.S Bhogal, Advocate has argued that initially this case was registered under Section 323,342 of IPC, but later on offence under Section 308 IPC was added and on the death of Arpan Kumar, offence under Section 302 IPC was added in this case. He has further submitted that accused is in custody since 30.6.2018 and nothing is to be recovered from him. Also he submitted that co-accused Harpreet Kaur has been granted bail by the Hon'ble High Court. So, it is prayed that accused may be released on bail.

4. The learned Addl. PP for the State resisted the bail application by submitting that there are serious allegations against the applicant-accused and he is not entitled to be released on bail.

5. I have carefully considered the submissions of the parties and have perused the record. As per allegations, the applicant-accused alongwith his co-accused have inflicted grievous injuries on the person of deceased Arpan Kumar, due to which he died lateron. Hence, in view of the gravity of offence, the applicant-accused is not entitled to be released on bail. As such the bail application stands dismissed. File of this bail application be attached with the main case.

Announced:
Dt. 24.7.2019

(Kulvinder Singh)
Stenographer-II

(Neelam Arora)
Addl. Sessions Judge
Hoshiarpur
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