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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-29767-2015
Date of Decision : October 5th, 2015

Manpreet Singh Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN.

Present Mr. Sant Pal Singh Sidhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. D.S.Kler, DAG, Punjab,
for the respondent-State.
with Mr. G.S. Saini, Advocate,
for the complainant.

SHEKHER DHAWAN, J.

Present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No. 112 dated 10.11.2014 under Sections 307, 324, 325, 323, 326, 336, 341, 148 and 149 of IPC and Sections 25 and 27 of the Arms Act, 1959 registered at Police Station Mallanwala, District Ferozepur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that Manpreet Singh, petitioner herein, was allegedly in possession of a *gandasi*, but no injury has been attributed to him. More so, it is a case of version and cross-version and from the petitioner's side, petitioner himself and others also sustained injuries. Petitioner is ready to join the investigation. So he be released on anticipatory bail.

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Learned State counsel as also counsel for the complainant submitted that the petitioner alongwith co-accused caused injuries while they were armed with deadly weapons and the petitioner does not deserve concession of bail.

Having considered the fact that the present is a case of version and cross-version and there is no allegation that the petitioner caused any injury to any body, rather, he himself sustained injuries, it is ordered that in case of arrest of petitioner – Manpreet Singh, he shall be released on anticipatory bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Court. He will, however, join the investigation as and when required.

The petition stands allowed.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

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