

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

CRM-M No.20889 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision: 15.07.2016

Samar Desouza

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. R.K. Chandana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Malkit Singh.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in case FIR No.68, dated 19.05.2016, registered under Sections 323, 325, 341, 506, 379-B, 148 read with Section 149 IPC, at Police Station Division No.2, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana.

The learned counsel for the petitioner being the President of Shiv Sena Youth has been falsely implicated in the instant case on account of political rivalry. No specific role has been attributed to the petitioner and nothing is to be recovered from him.

On the other hand, the learned State counsel submits that the petitioner is a habitual offender and is involved in as many as

five more FIRs, out of which, two FIRs are under Section 307 IPC.

Heard.

Keeping in view the antecedents and nature of injuries, this Court feels that in case the petitioner is enlarged on bail, he will certainly influence the prosecution witnesses, therefore, this Court is not inclined to grant pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

Anything said herein above shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

15.07.2016

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE