

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CRM-M No.4164 of 2016

Date of Decision:-04.04.2016

Balvir Singh.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Gurpreet Singh Dhillon, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Mikhail Kad, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab
assisted by HC Jaswinder Singh.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Prayer is under Section 438 Cr.PC for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner Balvir Singh in case FIR No.80 dated 23.11.2015 for offences punishable under Sections 307, 452, 336, 148,149 Indian Penal Code and Sections 25/27 of the Arms Act, registered with Police Station Phul, District Bathinda.

As per allegations complainant Simranjit Singh had gone to the house of his cousin Gurlal and on 22.11.2015 at around 8 pm non applicant accused Jasvir Singh @ Desa armed with .32 bore pistol, Saudagar Singh armed with .12 bore rifle, Jagsir Singh @ Seera armed with .315 bore gun, Angrej Singh @ Geji armed with .12 bore gun and Manjinder Singh armed

with country made pistol and Ranjit Singh @ Kaku (empty handed) forcibly entered the house with an intention to kill. Accused Jagsir Singh @ Seera is alleged to have fired a shot which hit Simranjit Singh on his left arm. Thereafter, all the other accused are alleged to have fired shots with their weapons.

It is contended that cousin of complainant Gurlal is already facing criminal trial for the murder of Amandeep Singh son of aforesaid co-accused Saudagar Singh and the petitioner has no connection with Saudagar Singh. It is further contended that the petitioner had duly surrendered his licensed gun before the authorities which has been found not to have been used on the day of occurrence. It is further submitted that main accused Jagsir Singh and Saudagar Singh have been arrested.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the interim order passed by this court petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from HC Jaswinder Singh submits that pursuant to the interim order passed by this court petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, interim protection/pre-arrest bail granted vide order dated 05th of February, 2016 is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

April 04, 2016
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