

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

CRM-M -42178 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of decision: 07.12.2016

Sarbjeeet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Sunil Agnihotri, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Rachpal Singh.

Mr. Manish Dadwal, Advocate for the complainant.

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 FIR No.154 dated 04.10.2015, registered under Sections 324, 323, 326 and 148 read with Section 149 of IPC, at Police Station Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur.

On 14.12.2015, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that it is a case of version and cross-version. Learned counsel has further submitted that petitioner had also suffered eleven injuries in the occurrence and one injury on the person of the petitioner has been declared grievous.

Notice of motion for 29.01.2016.

List along with CRM-M-38932 of 2015.

In the meantime, in the event of arrest, petitioner be admitted to interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer. Petitioner shall abide by the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.”

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 14.12.2015, the petitioner has joined the investigation

The learned State counsel, on instructions submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

On the other hand, the learned counsel for the complainant opposes the bail application.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 14.12.2015, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

07.12.2016

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes No

Whether Reportable: Yes No