

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

CRM-M No.676 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 29.02.2016

Veer Singh @ Bittu

..... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. B.S.Aulakh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State assisted by HC Rajpal Singh.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. to the petitioner-Veer Singh @ Bittu in case FIR No.139 dated 10.08.2014, under Sections 452, 323, 506, 148, 149 and 459, 325 (added later on) of the Indian Penal Code, registered with Police Station City Muktsar, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

It was submitted that there was a dispute amongst drivers within the Truck Union and the role attributed to the petitioner is of being armed with *gandasa* and having inflicted injury on the right palm of complainant-Sukhwinder Singh.

It was contended that for almost 1½ years prosecution has not submitted challan in the case apart from the fact that co-accused has been granted anticipatory bail.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no longer required.

Learned State Counsel, assisted by HC Rajpal Singh, concedes that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custody is not required.

In view of the above, interim protection/pre-arrest bail granted by this Court, vide order dated 11.01.2016, is made absolute/confirmed.

Disposed of.

February 29, 2016

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**