

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

CRL. MISC. No.M-20581 OF 2017
DATE OF DECISION : 17th AUGUST, 2017

Gurpreet Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. B. CHAUDHARI

* * * *

Present : Mr. Bipan Ghai, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Paras Talwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Sr. D.A.G. Punjab.

Mr. S. S. Behl, Advocate along with complainant in person.

* * * *

A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.135 dated 07.08.2016 registered under Sections 452, 427, 323, 148, 149 & 506 IPC at Police Station Division No.5, District Ludhiana.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

This Court had issued ad interim order in favour of the present petitioner on June 2, 2017. Undoubtedly, the petitioner and his accomplices indulged in criminal trespass and damaged the property of the complainant worth about ₹40,000/-.

The offence indeed is serious but then there is no point in continuing the detention of the petitioner, particularly because the counsel for the petitioner makes statement that the petitioner would deposit ₹40,000/- with the concerned Illaqua Magistrate, payable to the complainant

and would submit undertaking on affidavit that he shall not indulge in such type or any other offence in future.

In that view of the matter, I am inclined to confirm order dated 02.06.2017 granting interim bail to the petitioner. Hence I make the following order:

ORDER

- (i) CRL. MISC. No.M-20581 OF 2017 is allowed.
- (ii) Interim order dated 02.06.2017 is made absolute, however, subject to deposit of ₹40,000/- with the concerned Illaqua Magistrate, to be paid to the complainant.
- (iii) The petitioner shall also deposit non-refundable amount of ₹10,000/- as costs, with the office of Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.
- (iv) The above said amounts be deposited within fifteen days from today. Failing which this order shall come to end without reference to this Court.

17th AUGUST, 2017
'raj'

(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: *Yes* *No*

Whether Reportable: *Yes* *No*