

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

CRM-M-21803-2017 (O&M)  
Date of decision : 19.09.2017

Harjeet Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN**

Present: Mr. D.S. Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. A.S. Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab,  
assisted by ASI Rakesh Kumar.

Mr. Anurag Arora, Advocate for the complainant.

**JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)**

The petitioners seek pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.85 dated 08.05.2017, registered under Sections 452, 323, 354-A, 506, 427, 308, 325 and 148 read with Section 149 of the Indian Penal Code, at Police Station Division No.1, Jalandhar.

Heard.

On 23.06.2017, the following order was passed:-

*“This is a petition for grant of anticipatory bail to Harjeet Kaur and Lakhwinder Kaur in case FIR No.85 dated 8.5.2017 under Sections 452, 323, 354-A, 506, 427, 148, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Division No.1, Jalandhar. Later on, Sections 308 and 325 IPC were also added in the FIR.*

*The allegations in the FIR, registered on the complaint of one Ruby Chadha, are that on 7.5.2017 at about 8.30 pm, she along with her mother-in-law was standing in the street outside their house. Her uncle-inlaw Amarjit Singh came there*

*in his car and abused them, and called his family on phone. Thereafter, Manjit Singh @ Mani armed with Daat, Sandeep Singh @ Sunny armed with iron rod and Harjit Kaur and Lakhwinder Kaur came in the street. They raised lalkara not to spare the complainant party, upon which the complainant and her mother-in-law went inside their house to save themselves. The above named accused forcibly entered the house and when Mohanjit Singh and Jaspal Singh, husband and brother-in-law (Jeth) of the complainant, respectively, tried to stop them, then, Manjit @ Mani gave a daat blow on the head of Mohanjit Singh and Sandeep Singh @ Sunny gave an iron rod blow on his right arm. Mohanjit Singh fell down and accused Amarjit Singh, Manjit Singh and Sandeep Singh caused more injuries to the complainant and Jaspal Singh. The allegation against the petitioners (Harjeet Kaur and Lakhwinder Kaur) is that they caught hold of the complainant and gave kick blows in her stomach.*

*Ld. Counsel for the petitioners contends that the motive behind the occurrence was the old property dispute between the parties. It is also stated that earlier, son and brother, respectively, of petitioner No.1 and 2 had filed a complaint leading to registration of an FIR against the complainant party. It is also stated that the injuries attributed to the petitioners are simple in nature and the main accused Amarjit Singh is already in custody.*

*Notice of motion for 27.8.2017.*

*In the meantime, in the event of arrest, the petitioners (Harjeet Kaur and Lakhwinder Kaur) shall be released on interim anticipatory bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting/ Investigating Officer, subject to the conditions provided under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. The petitioners are also directed to join the investigation and cooperate with the Investigating Agency, as and when required.”*

Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that in pursuance of the order passed by this Court, the petitioners have joined the investigation and they are not required for custodial interrogation.

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 23.06.2017, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

**19.09.2017**  
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**(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)**  
**JUDGE**

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| Whether speaking / reasoned : | Yes | No |
| Whether Reportable :          | Yes | No |