

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

CRM-M-24794-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 27.9.2018

Harwinder Singh @ Laddi

...Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

State of Punjab

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present: Mr. Anil Chawla, Advocate.
for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. B.S.Jaswal, Advocate,
for the complainant.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.15 dated 11.5.2018 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 324, 323, 341, 34 of Indian Penal Code (Section 326 IPC added later on vide rapat No.24 dated 22.5.2018), at Police Station Mattewal, District Amritsar Rural.

Heard.

Counsel for the complainant submits that the victim has suffered injuries in this case and some interim compensation should be awarded to him.

Learned counsel for petitioner submits that the petitioner is ready to pay some amount as interim compensation to the victim on account of economic loss, pain and suffering.

Learned State counsel states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and nothing is to be recovered from him.

However, keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court deems it appropriate that interim compensation must be awarded to the victim.

In view of the above, this Court assessed the interim compensation to the tune of Rs. 20,000/-. The compensation amount shall be paid either through cash or bank draft in the name of the victim and that shall be tendered before the learned Magistrate at the time of submitting bail bonds. This amount shall be without prejudice to the rights of the parties and shall be subject to the outcome of the trial. Learned Magistrate shall disburse this amount to the victim on his submitting surety of the equal amount that in the event of the Court directs to return this amount, he shall return and on his failure to do so, the surety shall be liable.

In view of the above, the order dated 1.6.2018 is made absolute till the presentation of challan, subject to the following terms:-

- (i) that the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by the police as and when required;
- (ii) that the petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the accusation against him so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer;

- (iii) that the petitioner shall not leave India without the prior permission of the trial Court.
- (iv) that the petitioner will seek regular bail on the presentation of challan in Court.

September 27, 2018
Paritosh Kumar

(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No