

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-37253-2018
Date of Decision: 04.09.2018**

Baljinder Singh and another

.. Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

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Inderjit Singh, J.

Petitioners- Baljinder Singh and Kulwinder Singh @ Kali have filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No. 45 dated 28.06.2018, registered at Police Station Joga, District Mansa, under Sections 353, 186, 427, 148 and 149 of Indian Penal Code and (Section 307 IPC which was added later on).

Notice of motion has been issued. Learned State counsel appeared and contested the instant petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioners as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

From the record, I find that the FIR has been registered on the statement of ASI Amrik Singh. As per the allegation, Baljinder Singh etc. along with 15-20 other persons firstly, they broken the underground water pipe. When the police party tried to stop the tractor trolley, the accused tried to hit the complainant. Later on, the petitioners caught hold of HC

Dharampal and torn his uniform.

The petitioners have been in custody since 28.06.2018. They are not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as they are in judicial custody. The trial of the case will take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioners in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail subject to their furnishing personal bonds each in the sum of ₹40,000/- each with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

04.09.2018
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No