

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM No.M-772 of 2018
Date of decision:12.1.2018

Soma @ Rahul Kumar

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH.

Present: Mr.Pardeep Rajput, Advocate,
for the petitioner
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AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seeks the concession of anticipatory bail after being arraigned as an accused in FIR no.382 dated 17.08.2016, registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Amritsar, alleging therein the commission of offences punishable under Sections 326, 341, 323, 324, 506, 148, 149 IPC.

The petitioner is alleged to have, alongwith two of his co-accused, attacked a security guard at a bank ATM, with *datars* and *kirpans*, while he was on duty; with the petitioner attributed *kirpan* blows on the knee and nose of the complainant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the matter having been compromised between the complainant and the petitioner and his co-accused, as per the compromise deed, Annexure P-2, the petitioner may be granted the concession of anticipatory bail.

Having considered the aforesaid contention, it needs to be said

that attacking a single security guard (as alleged) with *kirpans* and *datars* (both sharp edged weapons), by three accused, is something which is naturally completely deplorable and alien to civilised society, even though unfortunately it happens once too often.

Hence, looking at the nature of injuries and the occurrence itself, where a security guard is alleged to have been attacked by the petitioner and his accomplices with *datars* and *kirpans* etc., I see no ground to grant the concession of anticipatory bail, even in the face of the compromise reached.

Dismissed.

However, what has been stated hereinabove by this Court shall be, naturally, construed to be only observations in the context of a petition seeking anticipatory bail.

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(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No
Whether Reportable Yes/No