

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

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**CRM-M-886-2019 (O & M)  
DATE OF DECISION:16.01.2019**

**Satwant Singh**

**... Petitioner(s)**

***Versus***

**State of Punjab**

**... Respondent(s)**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL**

Present: Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

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**ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)**

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 206, dated 08.11.2018, under Sections 323, 451, 440, 506, 148 and 149 IPC (Sections 458 and 308 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Sadar Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations in the FIR are that the petitioner, who is stated to be armed with 'kirpan', has caused injuries to Harjeet Singh on his head. He also contends that the petitioner himself had suffered a 'khirch' blow on his arm. He further contends that the petitioner had stopped the complainant from bursting crackers one of which had landed in his cattle shed and thereafter an altercation took place. Harjeet Singh has recovered from his injuries.

Petitioner is in custody since 14.11.2018 and is not involved in any other case.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Gurbhez Singh has contended that indeed it is a case of cross version and cross DDR has been lodged by the petitioner.

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner himself has suffered injury and has been in custody for over two months and conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner, namely, Satwant Singh is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

**16.01.2019**  
*A.Kaundal*

**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)**  
**JUDGE**

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