

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

**CRM-M-1475-2019
Date of decision: 15.01.2019**

Raj Singh**...Petitioner**

Versus

State of Punjab**...Respondent****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

Present:- Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No. 67 dated 09.11.2018, registered under Sections 326, 323, 148 and 149 of the IPC at Police Station Khem Karan, District Tarn Taran.

Brief facts, as per the allegations of the FIR, are that on 31.10.2018 at about 06.30 PM, the petitioner along with other co-accused was present outside the house of complainant Buta Singh and the petitioner was carrying a *Kirpan*, Ghuk son of Puran Singh was armed with *Gandasi*, Chanan Singh s/o Puran Singh was also armed with *Gandasi*, Rashpal Singh s/o Ghuk was armed with brickbats and Puran Singh was empty handed. Thereafter, Puran Singh raised *lalkara* to catch hold of complainant and to teach him a lesson, then Raj Singh (petitioner) gave a *Kirpan* blow which hit left arm of the complainant between the wrist and elbow and other accused persons also caused injuries to him, on which, he fell down and when he raised hue and cry, his brother Bakshish Singh reached at the spot and other people also gathered there and rescued the complainant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per the

allegations in the FIR, the petitioner is attributed a simple injury and four of the co-accused, namely Palwinder Singh, Chanan Singh, Rashpal Singh and Puran Singh have already been granted concession of anticipatory bail by the Sessions Judge, Tarn Taran, vide order dated 11.12.2018.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

As per MLR, the petitioner is attributed an injury which was declared a grievous injury invoking offence punishable under Section 326 IPC and he is also the main accused.

Therefore, considering the fact that other co-accused, who have been granted anticipatory bail by the Sessions Judge, were attributed only simple injuries, whereas, the petitioner is attributed a grievous injury, caused to the complainant, I do not find any ground to grant concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Petition stands dismissed.

January 15, 2019

Waseem Ansari

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No