

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

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CRM-M-18974-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 29.05.2019

HARI SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. S.S. Rangi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Naveen Chopra, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.31 dated 20.03.2019 under Sections 307, 452, 323, 429, 506, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 11 (1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to the Animals Act registered at Police Station Bassi Pathana, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner in the FIR are that he had torn the clothes of complainant - Manvir Singh Dhindsa and had dragged him. The entire family of the petitioner has been roped in although the fight had taken place primarily between the two sons of the petitioner and the son of the complainant. He also contends that the petitioner and his wife have been falsely implicated. The petitioner is not involved in any other case.

This Court, by the order dated 29.04.2019, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the

investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Gurmail Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has joined investigation, the order dated 29.04.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

29.05.2019

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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