

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

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CRM-M-30023-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 26.08.2019

SANGAT SINGH AND ANR

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. N.S.Sodhi, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.40 dated 18.04.2019, under Sections 323, 324 read with Section 34 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Ghuman, District Batala.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that there is a delay of 11 days in lodging the FIR and the injuries which are attributed to the petitioners are simple in nature. The injury for which Section 326 IPC has been invoked, is attributed to the co-accused Gurmit Singh @ Bhupa, who himself had suffered serious injuries. This is the case of version and cross-version and several injuries have been received by the petitioners' side as well.

This Court, by the order dated 17.07.2019, had directed the petitioners to appear before the Investigating Officer and join investigation and in the event of their arrest, they were 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 Daljit Singh, states that the petitioners have joined investigation and are not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioners and the petitioners having joined investigation, the order dated 17.07.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute.

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

The petition stands disposed of.

26.08.2019

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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