

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

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CRM-M-42893-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 19.11.2019

BUTA SINGH @ BOOTTA SINGH AND ANR ... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Harpreet Singh Dhaliwal, Advocate for
Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.0143, dated 21.09.2019, under Section 295, 323 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Maur, District Bathinda.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that there is a delay of three days in lodging the FIR. He also contends that the petitioners were unarmed and only simple injuries are alleged to have been caused in the occurrence.

This Court, by the order dated 15.10.2019, had directed the petitioners to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the 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 Karamjit Singh, states that the petitioners have joined investigation and are not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioners and the petitioners having joined investigation, the order dated 15.10.2019 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.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

19.11.2019.
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No