

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

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CRM-M-47498-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 04.12.2019

AMRIK SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Ms. Puja Chopra, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. N.K. Banka, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 0023 dated 30.06.2019, under Section 307 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 besides Section 25 of the Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station GRP Patiala, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that although several persons have been named in the FIR, but specific injuries have been attributed to only two accused, namely, Ravi and Pawan. She also contends that the petitioner is not named in the FIR although a reference has been made to one 'doctor'. She also contends that the police is trying to arrest the petitioner by claiming that the petitioner is also known as 'doctor', which is disputed by the petitioner. She also contends that even no specific injury has been attributed to the 'doctor' in the FIR and

similarly situated co-accused, namely, Karamjit Verma and Pawan have already been granted anticipatory bail by this Court.

This Court, by the order dated 07.11.2019, 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 Balbir Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 07.11.2019 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.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

04.12.2019.

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