

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

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**CRM-M No.8624 of 2019
Date of decision:11.2.2020**

HARBHAJAN SINGH

.....Petitioner

Vs

STATE OF HARYANA

.....Respondent

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

Present: Dr.Anmol Rattan Sidhu, Sr.Advocate with
Mr.Mandeep Singh Sindher, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr.Anmol Malik, AAG, Haryana.

Mr.S.S.Gill, Advocate
for the complainant.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.
for grant of regular bail in case bearing FIR No. 850 dated
6.10.2018 registered under Sections 120-B, 148, 149, 307,
323, 324, 325, 326, 341, 506 IPC at Police Station Assandh
District Karnal.

As per the allegations in the FIR, the petitioner is
alleged to have inflicted a lathi blow on the left arm of father of
the complainant i.e. Gurbaj Singh and also a lathi blow on the

back of the complainant, which landed on the right side. Further allegation is that all the accused jointly attacked Hira Singh, who is stated to be in vegetative stage/ coma. The injuries found on the person of the complainant and his father are simple in nature. The complicity of the petitioner vis-a-vis the injuries on the person of Hira Singh would be debatable. Petitioner is in custody since 6.10.2018.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Surinder Singh, states that out of total 21 prosecution witnesses, none has been examined so far.

Learned counsel for the complainant vehemently submitted that the conduct of the petitioner is not above board as he along with others including a doctor has tampered with Medico Legal Report in FIR No.296 dated 17.5.2017 under Sections 420, 120-B, 166, 167 IPC and under Section 7/13 (1) (A), 13 (1) (d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act registered at Police Station Assandh District Karnal and they have been convicted by the Additional Sessions Judge, Karnal on 28.2.2019.

The conduct of the petitioner vis-a-vis the others in the present case would be seen by the trial Court at an appropriate stage.

In view of above, this petition is allowed. Petitioner is

ordered to be released on regular bail, subject to his furnishing adequate bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Nothing expressed hereinabove would be construed to be an expression of any opinion on merits of the case.

February 11, 2020

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Whether reasoned/speaking

Whether reportable

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Yes/No

Yes/No