

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

**CRM-M No.18474 of 2020(O&M)
Date of Decision: 08.09.2020**

Paramjit Singh @ Prince Baba

.....Petitioner

Vs

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

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

Present:Mr. Kapil Khanna, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.P. Singh, DAG, Punjab.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The case has been taken up for hearing through video-conferencing.

Prayer is for grant of regular bail under Section 439 Cr.P.C in case bearing FIR No.97 dated 27.06.2019 registered under Sections 323, 324, 341, 148, 149, 506 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on) at Police Station Division No.6, Jalandhar.

FIR was registered at the instance of Prince Gill with the allegations that on 26.06.2019 at about 8.00 PM, he was going to his house. When he reached near gate No.2 of bus stand, he saw Amit to whom he had given an amount of

Rs.10,000/-. Amit was standing there. Complainant stopped him and demanded his money. Amit replied that his mother would talk to the complainant. Mother of Amit along with two persons came there. They had a talk with the complainant and assured to give the money in few days. In the meanwhile, Manpreet Singh started arguing with the complainant and during this period, nephew of Manpreet Singh gave a push to the complainant and young persons riding motorcycles encircled the complainant. Those 9-10 persons started raising quarrel with the complainant. Nephew of Manpreet Singh i.e. Baba hit a blow at the back of the head of the complainant. Manpreet Singh and unknown persons started giving kirpan blows on the head of the complainant. They made the complainant to fall on the ground and kept on hitting.

Manpreet Singh has been granted anticipatory bail vide order of the even date passed in CRM-M No.20935 of 2020 after his joining the investigation. Complainant had two injuries. Injury No.1 was incised wound at the back of the head of the complainant. Injury No.2 was incised wound on the front side of scalp. Offence under Section 326 IPC was added later on.

As per custody certificate filed by learned State counsel, petitioner is in custody for the last about 1 year. Offence is triable by the Magistrate. Challan has already been

presented.

In view of custody of the petitioner and without meaning anything on merits of the case, it would be just and appropriate to release the petitioner on regular bail subject to his furnishing adequate bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Nothing expressed hereinabove, shall be construed to be an opinion on merits of the case.

08.09.2020

Prince

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No