

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

(Proceedings conducted through video conferencing)

CRM-M No. 21017 of 2020(O&M)

Date of decision: 20.8.2020

Karamdeep Singh and anotherPetitioners

VERSUS

State of PunjabRespondent

CORAM: **HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL**

Present: Ms. Amandeep Kaur, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vikas Verma, Advocate for the complainant.

REKHA MITTAL, J.(Oral)

The petitioners pray for grant of regular bail in FIR No.68 dated 15.06.2015 for offence punishable under Sections 452, 323, 324, 148, 149 of Indian Penal Code (in short 'IPC') (offence under Sections 459, 460, 326, 506 IPC added later) registered at Police Station City Dhuri, District Sangrur.

Counsel for the petitioners would argue that dispute between the accused and complainant/injured Kundan Kumar son of Mahinder Paswan has been settled and in pursuance thereof, Kundan Lal had sworn an affidavit dated 01.07.2020. It is further argued that petitioners are in judicial custody, therefore, no longer required for the purpose of investigation. The last submission made by counsel is that in respect of occurrence dated 12.06.2015, till date, challan has not been presented in the Court.

Counsel representing State of Punjab would concede to factual submissions made by counsel for the petitioners. She would further inform that one of the accused namely Sabar was allowed bail in anticipation of arrest by this Court vide order dated 26.03.2019 passed in CRM-M No.11143 of 2019.

In view of the above, without meaning to express any opinion on merits of the controversy, the petitioners shall be released on bail subject to satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Additional Sessions Judge (on duty), Sangrur. However, they shall abide by the following conditions:-

- (i) They shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with facts of the case so as to dissuade him/her from disclosing such facts to the Court;
- (ii) They shall not leave India without previous permission of the Court.

Disposed of accordingly.

AUGUST 20, 2020

‘D. Gulati’

(REKHA MITTAL)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : yes/no

Whether reportable : yes/no