

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

CRM-M-22278-2020

Date of decision : 27.08.2020

Billa

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Deepak Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing in the light of the pandemic COVID-19 situation and as per instructions.

The instant petition has been preferred under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking bail in cross case registered vide DDR No.20 dated 06.06.2019, under Sections 323, 324 and 148 read with Section 149 of the Indian Penal Code (for short, 'the IPC') (Sections 325 and 326 IPC added subsequently) in FIR No.0031 dated 05.06.2019, registered under Sections 324, 323 and 148 read with Section 149 IPC, at P.S. Tibber, District Gurdaspur.

States that it is a case of version and cross-version wherein, the injury attributed to the petitioner is on the non-vital part. The parties have compromised the matter. In pursuance of the compromise, a quashing petition bearing CRM-M-8381-2020 already stands filed.

Learned State counsel, on telephonic instructions from ASI Parwinder Singh, also admits the factum of compromise.

Heard.

The petitioner is in custody since 13.07.2020. The parties have already entered into a compromise. Therefore, this Court feels that no purpose would be achieved in keeping the petitioner under further incarceration.

In view of the above, without adverting to the merits of the instant case, this petition is allowed. The petitioner be admitted to bail during the pendency of the trial, on furnishing bail bonds with two local sureties, to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

However, anything noticed hereinabove shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No