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

CRM-M No. 23597 of 2020
Date of Decision: 28.08.2020

Arjun @ Arjun Kashyap

-Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

-Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Prashant Vashisth, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.P. Singh, D.A.G., Punjab.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

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

Petitioner seeks grant of regular bail under Section 439 Cr.P.C. in case bearing FIR No.288 dated 10.09.2019 registered under Sections 323, 307, 506, 34 IPC at Police Station Division No.8, Ludhiana City.

Petitioner is alleged to have inflicted stick blow to the complainant Raj Kumar. Co-accused Karan is son of Sheetla Parshad, whose shop was recommended by Ved Parkash to the injured and his brother for purchasing cold drinks etc.

According to the prosecution story, Ved Parkash gave blow with screw driver on the neck of Deepak Kumar. Petitioner

inflicted stick blow on the person of complainant whereas co-accused Karan caught hold of Deepak Kumar. Sheetal Parshad allegedly exhorted that accused party be not left.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is author of simple injury on the person of Raj Kumar. This fact is not disputed by learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Janak Raj.

Challan is ready to be presented.

Petitioner is in custody since 16.07.2020.

Co-accused namely Karan has already been granted regular bail by this Court in CRM-M No.4287 of 2020 vide order dated 06.02.2020.

Keeping in view the situation arising out of COVID-19 pandemic and without meaning anything on the merits of the case, 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/concerned Duty Magistrate.

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

August 28, 2020
Jyoti Sharma

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
2. Whether reportable : Yes/No