

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-35717 of 2020  
Date of Decision: 26.11.2020

Pal Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present: Mr. Akbrjit Singh, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate,  
for the complainant.

Mr. Ramdeep Partap, DAG, Punjab

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**AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

All cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

By this petition, the petitioner seeks the concession of 'regular bail', under the provisions of Section 439 of the Cr.P.C., upon FIR no.163, dated 15.06.2020, having been registered at Police Station Shahkot, District Jalandhar Rural, alleging therein the commission of offences punishable under Sections 307, 323, 341, 148, 149 and 506 of the IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been in custody for about 3 months and the only attribution to him is of simple injuries on the person of the complainant.

Learned State counsel and counsel for the complainant submit on the other hand that the petitioner and his family attacked the complainant and his father and had inflicted a large number of injuries on them and therefore the petitioner does not deserve to be admitted to bail.

Learned counsel for the complainant has also submitted that another FIR also stands registered against the family of the petitioner, for the commission of a similar offence.

Having considered the matter, though the petition earlier filed by the petitioner seeking to be admitted to anticipatory bail was dismissed by this court, however he now having been remained in custody for about 3 months, and with his sons, i.e. his co-accused, still being in custody, and the petitioner being about 53 years of age (as also recorded in the order dated 07.08.2020 passed in CRM-M-21117 of 2020), without making any comment on the actual merits of the case, the petition is allowed, with the petitioner ordered to be admitted to bail to the satisfaction of the trial court/CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Naturally, any breach of peace by the petitioner would entitle the complainant/the prosecution to apply for cancellation of the bail.

**November 26, 2020**  
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**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether Reportable

Yes  
No