

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

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CRM-M-38024-2020

DATE OF DECISION: 16.12.2020

BALDEV SINGH AND ANOTHER

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. G.S. Sirphikhi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners are seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.174 dated 17.10.2020, under Sections 323/324/148/149 IPC & Section 326 IPC added later on, registered at Police Station Dera Baba Nanak, Police District Batala.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the injuries which are attributed to petitioner No.2 are simple in nature.

This Court, by the order dated 18.11.2020, had directed petitioner No.2 to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Skattar Singh, states that petitioner No.2 has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for petitioner No.2 and petitioner No.2 having joined investigation, the order dated 18.11.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner No.2 is made absolute.

However, petitioner No.2 shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

The petition qua petitioner No.1 was dismissed as withdrawn by the order dated 18.11.2020.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

16.12.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No