

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

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CRM-M-54387-2019 (O&M)

DATE OF DECISION: 21.05.2020

SHARANJIT SINGH

... Petitioner (s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Manbir Singh Basra, Advocate for the petitioner (s).

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.63 dated 24.06.2019, under Sections 307, 326, 323, 324, 148 and 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Ghuman, District Gurdaspur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is alleged to have caused only simple injuries. The petitioner is in custody for over 6 months.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions received through email from SI Darshan Singh, states that the petitioner is alleged to have inflicted injuries under Sections 323 and 324 IPC. Although challan has been presented but charges are yet to be framed.

Heard through video conferencing.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner, especially when the petitioner is attributed simple injuries, he is in custody for over 6 months, the COVID-19 pandemic and the conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

21.05.2020.

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