

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

(Sr. No. 208)

**CRM-M No. 2948 of 2021
Date of decision : 29.10.2021**

Shamsher Singh @ Shera

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present : Mr. Surmeet S. Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for the grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.109 dated 06.10.2020 registered under Sections 323, 324, 341, 148, 149, 506 and 427 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on) at Police Station Begowal, district Kapurthala.

On 22.01.2021, this Court had passed the following order : -

“The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the injury attributed to the petitioner is simple in nature. He further submits that the petitioner has wrongly been declined bail by learned trial Court on the premise that there were other FIRs against him, whereas he is already on bail in those cases.

Notice of motion.

At this stage, Mr. Avtar Singh Sandhu, Addl. A.G., Punjab, has put in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

List on 05.05.2021.

Meanwhile, in the event of arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on ad interim bail to the satisfaction of the arresting officer. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when directed by the investigating agency and shall abide by the terms and conditions laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.PC. ”

Learned State counsel submits that under the afore-quoted order passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation; cooperated with the investigating agency and that his custodial interrogation is not required by the State.

In view of the above, the interim order of this Court dated 22.01.2021, granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

29.10.2021
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(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

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