

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-3807-2021 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION: 09.03.2021

GURJANT SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Vishwajit Bedi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Ishma Randhawa, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.90 dated 06.07.2020, under Sections 302, 120-B, 148, 149 IPC and Sections 25/27/54/59 of the Arms Act, registered at Police Station Gharinda, district Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that although it is alleged that the petitioner was armed with datar but no injury is attributed to him. The deceased had received a gun shot injury which is attributed to co-accused Gurpreet Singh. It is a case of version and cross version as Major Singh (the father of main accused Gurpreet Singh) had also received gun shot injury and had lodged the DDR.

This Court, by the order dated 28.01.2021, had directed the petitioner 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 counsel for the complainant contends that in view of the serious allegations against the petitioner, he is not entitled to the concession of anticipatory bail.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from Angrej Singh, states that the petitioner has joined the investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 28.01.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner 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.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

09.03.2021

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