

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-23240-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 29.06.2021

AMIT

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Pawan K. Hooda, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Surender Singh, AAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.95 dated 18.02.2021, under Sections 323, 34, 341, 427 and 506 IPC and Sections 3 (1) (s) of the SC and ST Act, 1989 (Sections 307/325 IPC and sections 3 (2) (v) of the SC and ST Act, 1989 added later on), registered at Police Station Samalkha, District Panipat.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged by the complainant in the FIR that the petitioner had given a 'danda' blow on his left thumb which was found to be simple. However, after 12 days of the occurrence, the complainant, in his supplementary statement, had alleged that the petitioner had given a 'gandasi' blow but there is no MLR of government hospital with regard to the injury which is alleged in the supplementary statement. The petitioner is in custody for over 3 months and is not involved in any other case. He also contends that the allegations in the FIR do not constitute an offence under the SC & ST Act.

Learned State counsel contends that challan has been filed but charges are yet to be framed.

Heard.

In view of the above, especially when the petitioner is in custody for almost four months since his arrest on 04.03.2021, he is not involved in any other case, 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

29.06.2021

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