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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-33744-2021 (O&M)

Date of decision: 07.12.2021

GURWINDER SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Prateek Pandit, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Navraj Singh Mahal, Advocate
for the complainant.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in No. 0150 dated 28.05.2021, registered under Sections 323, 326, 341, 506 and 34 of the IPC at Police Station Kotwali Kapurthala, District Kapurthala, Punjab.

The operative part of the order dated 06.09.2021, vide which the petitioner has been granted interim bail, is reproduced below:

“...Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in respect of occurrence dated 22.05.2021, the FIR came to be registered only on 28.05.2021 with a delay of six days. It is a case of version and cross-version. The FIR was registered on seeing the cross-version at the instance of Sarabjit Kaur sister of the petitioner on 28.06.2021. The alleged injury attributed to the petitioner is datar blow on the little finger of left hand of the complainant. The injury is on the non-vital part of the body and was declared grievous in nature. CRM-M No.31698 of 2021 filed by co-accused Kuljit Singh is pending for

01.11.2021.

Adjourned to 01.11.2021.

To be heard along with CRM-M No.31698 of 2021.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, in pursuance to the order dated 06.09.2021, has already appeared before the SHO/Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Daljit Singh, has not disputed the factual position and submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no more required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 06.09.2021, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

07.12.2021
Chetan Thakur

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No