

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

**CRM-M No.37943 of 2021
Date of Decision:-16.12.2021**

Rana Ranjit

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present:- Mr. Navkiran Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.
(joined through virtual mode)

Ms. Samina Dhir, D.A.G, Punjab.

MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA, J.(Oral)

The petitioner herein seeks the relief of regular bail in the criminal case arising out of the FIR bearing No.126 dated 22.06.2021 registered at Police Station Haryana, District Hoshiarpur, under Sections 341, 323, 324, 506, 148, 149 IPC and Sections 3(1), 4 of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 (wherein the offence under Section 326 IPC is stated to have been added later-on) with the allegations that he and his co-accused caused injuries to complainant-injured Raj Kumar with weapons like “Datar”, baseball bat etc.

Custody certificate of the petitioner as well as Short Reply on behalf of the respondent-State, have been submitted in the Court today and

the same are taken on the record.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel in the present petition and have also perused the file thoroughly.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is behind the bars in this case since 02.08.2021 and the Challan has already been presented in the Court and moreover, the seat of the injury attributed to the petitioner happens to be the non-vital part, i.e the left bicep of the complainant-injured, and in these circumstances, the petitioner deserves the relief as prayed for in the present petition.

Learned State counsel does not dispute the afore-referred factual position.

Keeping in view the above-discussed factual position as well as the fact that the trial of the case is likely to take sufficient time to conclude and without commenting or expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petitioner named Rana Ranjit is ordered to be released on regular bail subject to his furnishing the requisite personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition in hand stands allowed accordingly.

(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)
JUDGE

December 16, 2021
Yag Dutt

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether Reportable:</i>	<i>No</i>