

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

228

CRM-M-37999-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 09.11.2021

GAGANDEEP SINGH CHEENA

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Joginder Pal Devgan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 38 dated 09.06.2021, under Sections 452, 324, 336, 506, 148, 149 and 323 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ('IPC' - for short) (Section 325 IPC added later on) besides Sections 25 and 27 of the Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station Kacha Pacca, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been attributed a simple injury with a 'datar' on the hip of the injured. The petitioner is 22 years of age and is not involved in any other criminal case. He also contends that the injured had stated that the petitioner was armed with a pistol. He, however, contends that there is no other injury besides the simple injury on the hip of the injured.

This Court, by the order dated 27.09.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered 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.

Short reply by way of an affidavit of DSP, Sub Division Valtaha Camp at Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran filed by the learned State counsel is taken on record. Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Jagdish Singh, states that although the petitioner has joined investigation but recovery of weapon has to be effected.

Heard.

In view of the above, especially when the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 27.09.2021 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

09.11.2021

SwarnjitS

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