

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-42884-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 29.11.2021

HANS RAJ

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Gulshan Mehta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Aditi Girdhar, AAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 398 dated 20.08.2021, under Sections 323, 325, 341, 506 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Fatehabad, District Fatehabad.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is not named in the FIR wherein it is alleged that four unknown persons had come, out of which two had given 'kappa' blows to the complainant which resulted in fracture of his legs. All the three accused have been arrested and granted regular bail. The petitioner has been arraigned as an accused on the statement of co-accused Satish Kumar. The petitioner is 54 years of age and does not have criminal antecedents.

This Court, by the order dated 27.10.2021, 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.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Ravinder Kumar, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above, especially when the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 27.10.2021 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

29.11.2021

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