

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

**CRM-M-14816 of 2021
Date of Decision:- 29.11.2022**

Pankaj Shekhawat

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Sandeep K. Yadav, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. N.K. Sheoran, DAG, Haryana.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.

Prayer is for grant for anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case having FIR No.3 dated 07.01.2021 registered under Sections 148, 149, 323, 506 IPC, Police Station Satnali, District Mahendergarh and later on added Section 325, 307 IPC.

The counsel for the petitioner submits that the present case involves version as well as cross version and with regard to main occurrence FIR No.2 dated 6.1.2021 was registered against the opposite party for causing injuries to the petitioner and other members of his family. The counsel for the petitioner further submits that petitioner has joined the investigation with the police by virtue of interim bail order.

The State counsel on instructions from ASI Sandeep has admitted that the petitioner joined the investigation and got recovered danda used in commission of crime and the petitioner is not required by the police for any further investigation or custodial interrogation.

The State in its reply dated 26.10.2021 has admitted that FIR No.2 dated 6.1.2021 was registered against the opposite party for causing injuries to the present petitioner and other members of his family. Further the recoveries have already been effected in the present case and the petitioner is not required by the police for any further investigation. It is a matter of evidence as to which party was aggressor. So, this Court is of the view that the concession of anticipatory bail could be granted to the petitioner.

In the light of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and order granting interim bail 05.04.2021 to the petitioner is hereby made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

29.11.2022
P. Chawla

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned / speaking? Yes / No

Whether reportable? Yes / No