

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

CRM-M-46365-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision: 01.02.2022

Sahil

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG Punjab.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.118 dated 01.08.2021, registered at Police Station Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur, under Sections 323, 324 and 34 IPC and Section 326 IPC (added subsequently).

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged occurrence took place on 23.07.2021, whereas the above-noted FIR was registered on 01.08.2021 i.e. after a delay of 9 days. It is submitted that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case and even the injury attributed to the petitioner is on the upper side of the right arm of the complainant, which is simple in nature. It is further submitted that co-accused Manjot Singh @ Jyoti has already been granted ad-interim anticipatory bail by this Court vide order dated 08.10.2021.

Vide order dated 03.11.2021 passed by this Court, *ad interim*

anticipatory bail was granted to the petitioner with a direction to join the investigation.

At this stage, learned State counsel points out that another FIR bearing No. 136 dated 02.09.2021, under Sections 302 and 34 IPC stands registered against the petitioner and other co-accused, at Police Station Garhshankar, for committing the murder of Gurpreet Singh, complainant of the present FIR.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

The factum of registration of FIR No. 136 dated 02.09.2021 aforesaid, as pointed by the learned State counsel is not controverted by the counsel for the petitioner. This makes it clear that while obtaining ad-interim anticipatory bail, the petitioner did not disclose the said fact.

As the petitioner is also accused in another FIR (No.136 dated 02.09.2021) for having committed the murder of the complainant of the present FIR, no ground is made out to grant the concession of bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

01.02.2022
Mangal Singh

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No