

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

CRM-M No.54637 of 2021

Date of Decision:-02.03.2022

Jatinder Singh & Anr.

.....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present:- Mr. G.S. Jagpal, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. Sidakmeet Sandhu, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case bearing FIR No.154 dated 17.10.2021 for offences punishable under Sections 452, 323, 447, 511, 148, 149, 120-B IPC registered with Police Station Sadar, Jagraon, District Ludhiana.

On 29.12.2021, following order was passed by this Court:-

“ The prayer is for the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.154 dated 17.10.2021 for offences punishable under Sections 452, 323, 447, 511, 148, 149, 120-B of IPC registered with Police Station Sadar Jagraon, District Ludhiana.

Counsel for the petitioners state that petitioner no.1 is the son of the complainant and has been attributed an injury on the complainant with a sword. So far as the petitioner no.2 is concerned, no specific role has been attributed to him other than having caught hold of the complainant. A perusal of the FIR would

reveal that the injuries on the complainant appear to be caused by a blunt weapon and not by sword as has been alleged by the complainant.

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In the meanwhile, in the event of their arrest, petitioners shall be released on interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the arresting/investigating officer. However, they shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.PC.”

The learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Jugraj Singh submits that the petitioner has joined investigation in terms of orders dated 29.12.2021 and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In this view of the matter, interim order dated 29.12.2021 is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall keep on joining the investigation as and when required to do so and he shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands disposed of.

**(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE**

March 02, 2022
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