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

CRM-M No.57038 of 2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 08.12.2022

Lali Ram

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. S.S. Sarwara, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.0162 dated 13.09.2022 registered under Sections 379-B, 323, 324, 341, 506, 148, 149, 109 IPC at Police Station Passiana, District Patiala.

Counsel for the petitioner has relied upon the order dated 17.10.2022 passed in CRM-M No.47406 of 2022, vide which the co-accused of the petitioner namely Saraba Ram is granted the concession of anticipatory bail.

As per the allegations in the FIR, registered by Mandeep Singh, he has gone to Patiala for purchasing certain articles and when he was returning back, Parveen Kumar, Jaswinder Singh @ Binda, Bablu and two other persons boarded the bus and started abusing him and thereafter, they started giving beatings to him. Parveen gave a sword blow on his head, Bablu and Binda @ Jaswinder Singh gave a kirch blow on his head and thereafter, he was referred to the Civil Hospital, Samana. It is also submitted that during the scuffle, the accused

snatched the gold chain of the victim and he has suffered 15 injuries, which are incised wounds as per the MLR. It is also argued that the incident occurred on the exoneration of Saraba Ram, who has already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail by this Court, as noticed above.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Navneet Singh, DAG, Punjab who is present in the Court accepts notice on behalf of the respondent – State and could not dispute that the allegations against the petitioner are identical in nature.

Heard.

Considering the fact that the co-accused of the petitioner namely Saraba Ram, has already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail, present petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to join the investigation within a period of 15 days from today and he shall be released on interim bail subject to the following conditions:-

- 1. He shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;*
- 2. He shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer; and*
- 3. He shall not leave India without previous permission of the Court.*

Disposed of.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

08.12.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No