

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-19273-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision : 10.1.2023

Rohit Kumar

... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Somnath Tayal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. C.L.Pawar, Addl. AG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajnikant Upadhyay, Advocate,
for the complainant.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in criminal case having FIR No.29 dated 24.4.2022 registered under Sections 451, 323, 457, 380, 148, 149 IPC at Police Station Khanauri, District Sangrur.

Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has joined the investigation in compliance of order of interim bail dated 7.5.2022 passed by this Court. State counsel on instructions from HC Gurmail Ram has not refuted the aforesaid assertions made by the counsel for the petitioner and further submits that the petitioner is not required by the police for further investigation or custodial interrogation.

However, the present petition is resisted by the counsel for the complainant.

Present case is relating to simple injuries caused to the complainant by the accused persons after trespassing into his shop. The petitioner has already joined the investigation and as has been admitted by the State counsel, he is not required by the police any more for purpose of investigation.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and order of interim bail dated 7.5.2022 is hereby made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

January 10, 2023
Paritosh Kumar

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