

206 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-36992-2022
DECIDED ON: 05.01.2023.

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.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 232, dated 13.11.2019 under Sections 324/323/148/149 of IPC registered at Police Station Kotwali Bathinda, District Bathinda.

Considering the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner to the fact that the offence under Section 326 of IPC was added later on after an inordinate delay without any support of medical evidence. Even the FIR reflects 5 injuries caused with blunt edged weapon which has not been attributed to the petitioner at all. The alleged injuries as were attributed to the petitioner, have been declared simple in nature.

It was on the basis of such submissions, vide order dated 22.08.2022, petitioner was granted an interim protection with a direction to join the investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner today submits that petitioner has joined the investigation on 18.09.2022.

Such fact has not been controverted by learned Deputy Advocate General appearing on behalf of the Punjab State, who in fact fairly states that the petitioner is not required further custodial interrogation as the challan has been presented on 08.12.2022.

In view of the above, the order dated 22.08.2022 is made absolute.

Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of.

05.01.2023

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(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

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