

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-4420-2024
Date of Decision: 27.2.2024

Kuldeep Singh @ Gabbar and others

....Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Chand Ram Olla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Inderjeet Singh Ladher, DAG, Punjab.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.

Prayer in the present petition under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure is for grant of regular bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.77 dated 30.4.2023 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 364, 379-B, 323, 341, 506, 148, 149 IPC at Police Station Lehra, District Sangrur.

2. As per the allegations appearing in the FIR, the petitioner and his accomplices intercepted complainant Gurdeep Singh and his friend Khushpreet Singh and snatched their mobile phones and then kidnapped Gurdeep Singh and took him to motor of Kuldeep Singh and gave him beatings. During investigation the petitioners were arrested by the police.

3. The counsel for the petitioners submits that the alleged recoveries are already effected in this case and simple injuries are attributed

to the petitioners who are in custody for the last about 03 months and after completion of investigation police has presented the challan and after framing of charges the trial is at its initial stage and the matter stands compromised between the parties. So, prayer is made that the petitioner be released on bail.

4. The present petition is resisted by the State counsel, who submits that at this stage when the trial is at its initial stage, no ground is made to enlarge the petitioners on bail. However, the State counsel has not disputed the fact that the injuries attributed to the petitioners were simple in nature and that the recoveries are already effected in this case.

5. The counsel who has put in appearance on behalf of the complainant submits that the matter stands compromised between the parties and he is having no objection if the petitioner is granted bail.

6. I have considered the submissions made by counsel for the parties.

7. Admittedly, the trial is at its initial stage and during investigation certain recoveries were effected and now it appears that matter has been compromised between the parties. It will take considerable time for the trial to conclude. Moreover, co-accused/Amanpreet Singh @ Aman Singh @ Amna has been granted regular bail by this Court vide order dated 19.1.2024 passed in CRM-M-42775-2023.

8. In light of the above, this Court is of the view that no purpose is going to be served by detaining the petitioners in custody for any longer period. So, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing of bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of

the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

February 27, 2024
Paritosh Kumar

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