



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.7720 of 2024
Date of decision: 15th May, 2024

Saroop Singh & another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Ms. Anu Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Navdeep Singh, Dy. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioners are seeking the concession of bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.107 dated 30.11.2023 for the offences under Sections 148, 149, 323, 326 (added later on) 341, 506 of the IPC registered at Police Station Sadar Rupnagar, District Rupnagar.

2. On the last date of hearing, i.e. 14.02.2024, while noticing the following submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioners, this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioners and asked them to join investigation.

“Learned counsel inter alia contends that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the case in hand; though they were named in the FIR in question, however, a perusal of the allegations leveled therein reveals that the petitioner No.1 had not been attributed any injury while petitioner No.2 was alleged to be armed with a



Faura with which he inflicted simple injury and that too on the little finger of the injured.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that in compliance of the order dated 14.02.2024, the petitioners have joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Kulwinder Singh, does not dispute the factum of the petitioners having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He, on further instructions submits that the petitioners are not required for further investigation much less for their custodial interrogation.

5. In the circumstances, the petition is allowed and the interim order dated 14.02.2024 is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. Needless to say, in case the petitioners misuses the concession of bail granted to them, the State would be at liberty to seek cancellation of the bail granted to them.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

May 15, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No