



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-34352-2024
Date of decision: 10.09.2024

JASPREET SINGH ...PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER ...RESPONDENTS

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: - Mr. N.S. Dadwal, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG, Punjab.
Mr. Jagjit Singh, Advocate for the respondent No.2.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023, petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
79	30.05.2024	452, 323, 324, 427, 148, 149 of IPC and Section 325 and 326 of IPC added later on.	Sadar Jagraon, District Ludhiana Rural.

2. Learned State counsel has placed on record supplementary reply dated 09.09.2024 in the form of affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jagraon, District Ludhiana (Rural), which is taken on record. Copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 28.08.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 28.08.2024.



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4. Learned counsel for the complainant submits that the petitioner being involved in heinous crime does not deserve concession for bail.

5. Learned State counsel, on instructions received from ASI Randhir Singh, P.S. Sadar, Jagroan, intimates the Court that the petitioner has joined investigation and is neither required for further investigation nor for any custodial interrogation. Even as per supplementary reply submitted by the concerned Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jagroan, District Ludhiana Rural, all injuries allegedly attributed to the petitioner happen to be simple in nature.

6. During the course of hearing on 28.08.2024 , following order was passed:

“Affidavit dated 27.08.2024 filed by Senior Superintendent of Police, Jagraon, District Ludhiana (Rural) is taken on record.

2. Mr. Jasjyot Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jagraon is present in Court along with ASI Randhir Singh, P.S. Sadar, Jagraon and has furnished the status report dated 27.08.2024. The same is taken on record. Copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

3. During the course of hearing it transpires that the role attributed to the petitioner as per status report happens to be grievous injury caused on the finger of Sukhpreet Singh @ Sukha.

4. On query, the Investigating Officer of the case has not been able to explain any such injury available on record. The concerned Deputy



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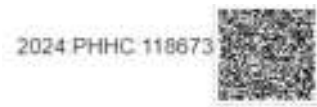
Superintendent of Police present in Court has apologised by stating that this information was given by Investigating Officer and seeks some time to file supplementary affidavit.

5. Be filed on or before 10.09.2024.

6. Mr. Jagjit Singh, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No.2 and has filed his power of attorney. The same is taken on record. He has admitted that the parties have effected the compromise and as such the complainant has no objection in case the bail is granted to the petitioner.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation within seven days from today and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

7. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation consequent to the order dated 28.08.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 28.08.2024 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023. Further the petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice for such purpose to be served by Investigating Officer of this case upon the petitioner; he will not tamper with the



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evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

8. The petition stands allowed.
9. It is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |