

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-57707-2024 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 10.12.2024

KULDEEP SINGH AND ANR

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present : Mr. Tarun Singla, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, petitioners seek anticipatory bail in case
FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
178	03.11.2024	331(6), 115(2), 3(5), 61(2) BNS	Talwandi Sabo, District Bathinda

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that in compliance to the order dated 20.11.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioners have already joined the investigation and as such interim bail granted to the petitioners may be confirmed.
3. Learned State counsel, on instructions received from ASI Gumdoor Singh has intimated that the petitioners have joined investigation



and are no more required for any custodial investigation in this case nor they are required for further investigation.

4. Heard.

5. During the course of hearing on 20.11.2024, the following order was passed:-

“2. It is, inter alia, contended by learned counsel for the petitioners that the petitioners are innocent and have been falsely implicated in this case being the counter blast to the FIR No. 134 dated 26.07.2022 under Sections 302, 307, 323, 148 and 149 IPC and 25 and 27 of the Arms Act registered at Police Station Talwandi Sabo District Bathinda, (Annexure P-2), wherein petitioner No. 1 is the injured witness and FIR No. 119 dated 27.06.2022 under Sections 323, 324, 34 IPC registered at Police Station Talwandi Sabo, District Bathinda, (Annexure P-3) was registered at the instance of respondent No. 2 against the son and husband of the present complainant. He contends that even otherwise as per the allegations in the FIR only simple injuries are attributed to the petitioners which in fact have not been done by the petitioners. Hence, the instant petition seeking concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

3. Notice of motion.

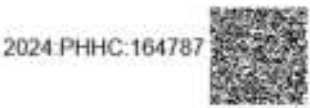
4. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Seena Sandhu, Addl. AG, Punjab, present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the State-respondent and, on instructions from ASI Gamdoor Singh, has not disputed the fact that the alleged injuries attributed to the petitioners are simple in nature and not on the vital part of the body. She prays for time to file the status report/reply in the matter.

5. Adjourned to 10.12.2024.

6. Needful be done well before the date fixed with an advance copy to the counsel opposite.

7. In the meanwhile, the petitioners are hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and in the event of their arrest, they are ordered to be released on interim bail on their furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. They shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita 2023 (BNSS).”

6. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State



counsel and the fact that the petitioners had joined the investigation consequent to the order dated 20.11.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 20.11.2024 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS. Further the petitioners are 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; they will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

7. The petition stands allowed.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

10.12.2024
S.Sharma(syr)

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