

**CRM-M-38424-2023****AJMER SINGH VS STATE OF PUNJAB**

Present:- Ms. Sunita Bishnoi, Advocate for  
Mr. Varinder Basa, Advocate, for the petitioner

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The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr. P.C. for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.70 dated 17.09.2022, registered under Sections 324, 148 and 149 IPC (Section 307 IPC added later on) at Police Station Mehta, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel contends that there is a delay of two days in lodging the FIR. It is a case of version and cross-version, registered vide DDR No.14, dated 20.09.2022, under Sections 324, 323, 148 and 149 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on) on the complaint made by petitioner-Ajmer Singh with allegations, of having received injuries at the hands of Rattandeep Modgil and Jaswant Singh. Parties have entered into a compromise on 06.02.2023 (Annexure P-3). The injury attribution of the petitioner is with the handle of a spade on the little finger of right hand and head of the complainant. The petitioner is not involved in any other case. He is ready and willing to join the investigation as and when required by the investigating agency.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Manipal Singh Atwal, DAG Punjab. accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation on or before 14.08.2023. In the event of arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer, subject to compliance of conditions as enshrined under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

However, it is clarified that if the petitioner does not join and cooperate with the Investigating Agency as required by the Arresting/Investigating Officer, this interim order shall be deemed to have been vacated.

Adjourned to 21.09.2023.

**(AMAN CHAUDHARY)**  
**JUDGE**

**07.08.2023**  
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