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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-38061-2025
Date of Decision:- 13.10.2025

PEEYUSH SINGLA ALIAS PIYUSH SINGLA ...Petitioner

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJAB ...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

Present:- Barrister Rubal Garg and Mr. Rajiv Goel,
Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Manjot Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

AMARJOT BHATTI, J.

1. Petitioner has filed instant petition under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.99 dated 11.05.2024 under Sections 324, 323, 506, 148 and 149 of IPC and Sections 498-A and 406 of IPC (added later-on) registered at Police Station City Sangrur (Punjab).

2. As per facts of the case, Neeraj Mittal gave his statement that marriage of his sister Monika Rani was solemnized with Piyush Singla in the year 2022. His sister was having a child aged about 11 months. After some time Piyush Singla and his family members started beating his sister and the matrimonial dispute started. On 10.05.2024, his brother-in-law



Piyush Singla called him at about 8.30 pm and asked him to take away Monika Rani from the matrimonial home. He noticed over phone that Piyush Singla was beating his sister and there was a lot of commotion. At about 9.15 pm Piyush Singla and his mother Anita Rani came to his house along with his sister Monika and in the street itself Piyush Singla started beating his sister. He along with his brother Dheeraj Kumar rescued their sister. In the meantime, 5-6 persons came in Honda City car armed with rods and *dah*. Piyush Singla took *dah* from one accomplice and gave *dah* blow towards his head. He raised his arm in his defence and *dah* blow hit below his left elbow. Unknown persons gave him kick blows. Piyush Singla gave another *dah* blow towards Dheeraj Kumar which hit on his cheek and left arm while he was trying to save his head. During this quarrel, Piyush Singla and his companion also suffered some injuries. He along with his brother Dheeraj and sister Monika Rani were admitted in Civil Hospital Sangrur for treatment. Reason behind this occurrence was that Piyush Singla and his family were beating their sister for demand of dowry. With these allegations, present FIR has been registered.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner argued that all allegations levelled against petitioner are false. In-fact, on 10.05.2024 his wife Monika started quarreling with his mother. In order to cool down the atmosphere he called his brother-in-law Dheeraj Mittal to take his sister in the parental house in order to change her mood. Dheeraj Mittal did not come and Monika Rani kept on quarreling in the family. Finally, he along with his mother



came to drop Monika Rani along with the child in her parental house. At about 9/9.30 pm when they reached there Dheeraj Mittal, Neeraj Mittal - brothers-in-law along with father-in-law Satish Kumar Mittal and their friend Deepu @ Deep were well prepared armed with iron rods and attacked on them. CCTV footage of the said date is Annexure P-1. Petitioner and his mother suffered injuries. On that day, Dheeraj Mittal, Neeraj Mittal, Monika Rani, Anita mother of the petitioner and Piyush Singla present petitioner were medically examined. Copies of MLRs of Anita and Piyush Singla are Annexures P-2 and P-3. Present FIR has been lodged with false allegations. Later-on, cross version has been recorded on the statement of his mother Anita vide G.D. No.31 dated 11.05.2024 under Sections 324, 323, 506, 148, 149 of IPC, Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur (Annexure P-5). Brother of Piyush Singla was also nominated as accused who was exonerated. Copy of application filed by Ayush Singla is Annexure P-6. Matter was enquired by DSP. Copy of his report dated 25.06.2024 is Annexure P-7. Copy of letter dated 09.11.2024 written by Office of SSP, Sangrur to the Investigating Officer is Annexure P-8. Mother of the petitioner filed a private complaint before Chief Judicial Magistrate, Sangrur which is Annexure P-9. CRM-445-2025 was also filed by the petitioner which is Annexure P-10. CCTV footage clearly shows that the complainant side was aggressor party. Petitioner is ready to join the investigation. Mother of petitioner Anita and his brother Ayush have been granted anticipatory bail by learned Sessions Judge at Sangrur whereas his anticipatory bail



application was declined on 02.07.2025 (Annexure P-11). Petitioner is ready to abide by the terms of bail order. Therefore, he may be granted concession of anticipatory bail.

4. Status report has been filed confirming the facts detailed in the FIR as well as the facts narrated in G.D. No.31 dated 11.05.2024 registered on the statement of mother of the present petitioner. It is also confirmed that Neeraj Mittal, Dheeraj Mittal, their sister Monika Rani were medically examined. Copies of their MLRs are Annexure R-1 to R-3. Injuries on their person were declared simple in nature and the injuries which were kept under observations, no further report has been received. Supplementary status report was also filed regarding CCTV footage of 10.05.2024. Perusal of supplementary status report showing the details of CCTV footage indicates that how Piyush Singla and his mother Anita were attacked by Neeraj Mittal, Dheeraj Mittal and their friend Deepu. It also came into light that Neha and Deepu wives of brothers-in-law tried to stop them from quarreling. As per supplementary status report, Anita had suffered 12 injuries whereas Piyush Singla had suffered 9 injuries. They were not armed with any weapon. Later on, one of the injury suffered by Anita was declared as grievous in nature whereas injuries suffered by Piyush Singla were declared simple in nature.

5. I have considered the aforesaid factual position. Present petitioner, husband of Monika Rani, on the day of occurrence had gone to his in-laws' house to drop Monika Rani along with the child where occurrence took place when the petitioner and his mother were attacked by



family members of Monika Rani. As per status report, both sides received injuries. At present, mother Monika Rani and brother Ayush have been granted anticipatory bail. Present petitioner who is husband of Monika Rani is also ready to join the investigation and cooperate with the Investigating Agency. On the statement of Anita, cross-version has been recorded. Copy of GD No.31 dated 11.05.2024 is Annexure P-5. In the light of aforesaid factual position, without expressing my mind on the merits of the case, anticipatory bail petition filed by Peeyush Singla @ Piyush Singla is allowed. He be not arrested. In case of his arrest, he be released on bail to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer concerned, subject to condition that petitioner will join investigation as and when required. He will not tamper with or interfere with investigation and will not leave country without prior permission as provided under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023.

5. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, stand disposed of accordingly as well.

(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

13.10.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No.
Whether reportable : Yes/No