



2026 :DHC :5411



\$~10

* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

%

Date of Decision: 07.07.2026+ **BAIL APPLN. 1786/2026**

OM TRIPATHI

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Himanshu B., Mr. Rishabh
Kumar, Mr. Sudarshan Tyagi and Mr.
Amit Singh, Advocates.

versus

STATE (GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI)

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Sanjeev Sabharwal, APP for State
with SI Lalit Kumar, SI Manoj Tomar
and SI Data Ram, PS Sarai Rohilla.**CORAM: JUSTICE GIRISH KATHPALIA****J U D G M E N T (ORAL)**

1. The accused/applicant seeks regular bail in case FIR No. 931/2023 of PS Sarai Rohilla for offence under Section 307/195A/506/120B/34 IPC and Section 83 JJ Act.

2. Broadly speaking, allegation against the accused/applicant is that he along with his co-accused persons assaulted the injured Iqbal. According to prosecution, the accused/applicant was armed with a surgical blade while the co-accused persons were armed with knives. According to MLC, there was

*BAIL APPLNS. 1786/2026**Page 1 of 3 pages***GIRISH
KATHPALIA**Digitally signed by GIRISH KATHPALIA
DN: cn=GIRISH KATHPALIA
2.5.4.2b48168168866277702659ff64dec45569af39026
fb4835483589726caaca.ou=HIGH COURT OF DELHI CID-
7207628.postalCode=110003, st=Delhi
serialNumber=43e88f96451e65c07b5d1557099644f880;
bd2ee624622487f65f801e289a, o=GIRISH KATHPALIA
Date: 2026.07.07 12:21:30 +05'30'



2026 :DHC :5411



one stab wound on left hand below elbow and multiple incised wounds on face of the injured Iqbal. The injured Iqbal was released on the same date after medical treatment.

3. Learned counsel for accused/applicant submits that the alleged incident occurred on 22.12.2023 and the accused/applicant was arrested on 27.12.2023 and since that day he is in jail. It is also submitted that the co-accused persons namely Sonu and Mumtaz have already been granted bail.

4. Learned APP for State submits that the injured was summoned 3-4 times by the trial court but he did not appear for his testimony and now his testimony is to be recorded on 17.07.2026.

5. Considering the above circumstances, including the nature of injuries, bail granted to the co-accused persons who were carrying comparatively more dangerous weapons and also the fact that injured Iqbal has not been turning up for his testimony before the trial court, I find no reason to deprive liberty to the accused/applicant any further.

6. Therefore, the bail application is allowed and accused/applicant is directed to be released on bail subject to his furnishing a personal bond in the sum of Rs.10,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the Trial Court.



2026 :DHC :5411



7. A copy of this order be immediately transmitted to the concerned Jail Superintendent for informing the accused/applicant.

8. It is specifically directed that the accused/applicant shall not contact the injured Iqbal in any manner whatsoever.

**GIRISH
KATHPALIA**

Digitally signed by GIRISH KATHPALIA
DN: c=IN, o=HIGH COURT OF DELHI,
2.5.4.20=8401d8889b27a77b2f65ffffe4afec45
569af3962c6fb4835d435f97626cacca,
ou=HIGH COURT OF DELHI,CID - 7047638,
postalCode=110003, st=Delhi,
serialNumber=d3e86796451ec45c07b5d1557
0996b40f80cbd2eee60402c487965ff801e26fa,
cn=GIRISH KATHPALIA
Date: 2026.07.07 17:22:06 +05'30'

**GIRISH KATHPALIA
(JUDGE)**

JULY 07, 2026/dr