

Sr. No. 210

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-2153 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 07.04.2016

Gagandeep Singh @ Gagna

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present:- Mr. G.B.S.Dhillon, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Anmol Grewal, AAG, Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA. J (ORAL)

This order shall dispose of the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.55 dated 04.03.2013, under Sections 224, 225 of Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Kotwali Bathinda, District Bathinda.

While issuing notice of motion, the following order was passed by this Court on 22.01.2016:

“Present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.55 dated 04.03.2013 under Sections 224, 225 of Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Kotwali Bathinda, District Bathinda.

Counsel would contend that challan in the present case was presented in the year 2013 itself and thereafter the petitioner had been regularly appearing in

the trial proceedings and only on account of non-appearance on account of having noted down the incorrect date, his bail bonds have been cancelled and warrants for arrest have been issued. It is submitted that petitioner was on bail and has never misused such concession and the non-appearance was on account of bona fide reasons and there was no intent to evade the process of law.

Notice of motion, returnable for 07.04.2016.

In the meanwhile, in case the petitioner duly appears before the trial Court within a period of one week from today, he shall be granted ad interim protection as regards arrest, subject to satisfaction of the trial Court.”

It has gone uncontroverted that during the course of hearing today that the petitioner has since appeared before the trial Court and had joined the trial proceedings.

In view of the above and prayer made in the present petition is accepted.

Petition is allowed. Order dated 22.01.2016, passed by this Court, is made absolute.

Disposed of.

07.04.2016

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**