

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

CRM-M-1664-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 20.02.2018

Salim

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

... Respondent

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

Present: Mr. Saleem Ahmed, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashish Yadav, Additional Advocate General, Haryana.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

This order shall dispose of the instant petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.567, dated 19.08.2014, under Sections 4A/8 and 2/80 of the Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter Act, registered at Police Station Nuh, District Mewat.

While issuing notice of motion, the following order was passed by this Court on 17.01.2018:

“The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.567, dated 19.08.2014, under Sections 4A/8 and 2/80 of The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter Act, registered at Police Station Vigilance Bureau, Nuh, District Mewat.

Counsel would submit that name of the petitioner did not even figure in the FIR registered in the year 2014. In the trial that ensued, two of the co-accused against whom there were similar allegations, already stand acquitted. Proclamation

proceedings were initiated against wrong particulars by mentioning the name as Majid S/o of Mannan whereas the name of the petitioner is Salim S/o Majid. Further contended that there was no intent to evade the process of trial and the petitioner is still ready and willing to join the trial proceedings.

Notice of motion, returnable for 20.02.2018.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to surrender before the trial Court within a period of 10 days from the date of passing of this order. In the eventuality of the petitioner's doing so, he would be admitted to interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the trial Court."

During the course of hearing today, it has gone uncontroverted that the petitioner has put in appearance before the trial Court on 22.01.2018 and has been admitted to interim bail on furnishing requisite bail bonds/surety bonds.

Even the observations made by this Court in the notice of motion order have gone un rebutted.

Petitioner having joined trial proceedings, prayer made in the present petition is accepted.

Order dated 17.01.2018 passed by this Court is made absolute.

Disposed of.

20.02.2018

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

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