

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

Sr.No.202

**CRM-M-32862 of 2018
Date of Decision:22.10.2018**

Lovepreet Singh

....petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr.Joban Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr.Sidakmeet Sandhu, AAG Punjab

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J.(ORAL) :

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.67 dated 04.07.2018 under Section 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Kot Bhai, District Muktsar Sahab.

The operative part of the order dated 02.08.2018 vide which interim bail was granted to the petitioner, reads as under:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per allegations in the FIR, complainant SI Daljeet Singh has stated that he had seen the petitioner coming on a road and when he was signaled to stop, after throwing the polythene bag, he ran away from the scene and on checking the bag, one country made pistol .32 bore was seized. It is further submitted that the petitioner was earlier involved in an FIR regarding murder of the Sarpanch in the village and later on, in the investigation, he was found innocent and apprehending that the petitioner may be involved in some other cases of illegal weapon or under the NDPS Act, he has already given representations to the higher police officials (Annexure P-2 colly.). Counsel for the petitioner further submits that the

petitioner was not apprehended at the spot and till date, there is no such FSL report showing that the recovery was of an illegal weapon in a workable condition.

Notice of motion for 22.10.2018.”

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Roshan Lal submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 02.08.2018 is made absolute.

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

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