

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-5608 of 2018

Date of decision: February 15, 2018

Joginder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Jagjit Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. C.L. Pawar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J.(oral)

This is a petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking pre-arrest bail in a case registered against the petitioner under Sections 279, 304-A IPC at Police Station Division No.2, Jalandhar, vide FIR No.64 dated 21.06.1999.

Petitioner was declared a proclaimed offender way back in the year 2002. It is submitted before the court that the petitioner is ready to surrender before the court and face the trial. For this purpose he may be granted anticipatory bail. This court, however, is not inclined to consider the prayer, in view of judgment in *State of Madhya Pradesh v. Pradeep Sharma, 2014 (1) RCR (Criminal) 269*. However, in case petitioner surrenders before the trial court within ten days from today and applies for regular bail, his plea shall be considered within two days thereafter.

Disposed of.

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

February 15, 2018

'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No