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

**CRM-M No.7603 of 2019
Date of Decision: 06.03.2019**

MANJIT SINGH

.....Petitioner

Vs

STATE OF PUNJAB

....Respondent

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

Present: Mr. J.S. Moudgil, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Kaundal, D.A.G., Punjab.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

[1]. In compliance of the order dated 27.02.2019, Sh. Mandeep Singh Sidhu, P.P.S., Sr. Supdt. of Police, Patiala is present in Court and has filed his affidavit detailing/explaining the steps taken against the erring police officials. The affidavit is taken on record.

[2]. In view of averments made in para nos.5, 6 and 7 of the affidavit, the explanation furnished by the Sr. Supdt. of Police, Patiala is accepted.

[3]. Earlier petition bearing CRM-M No.3143 of 2017 filed by the petitioner was dismissed on 30.05.2017 on the ground

that earlier he was granted concession of *ad interim* anticipatory bail, but he did not avail the said concession by joining the investigation even for once.

[4]. Finding no alternative, this Court had to dismiss the aforesaid petition. The petitioner was never arrested by the Investigating Officer thereafter. The reasons for inaction has been explained in the para nos.5, 6 and 7 of the affidavit filed by the Sr. Supdt. of Police, Patiala.

[5]. Keeping in view the failure on the part of the petitioner to avail the concession granted in earlier petition, I do not see any change in the circumstance for grant of anticipatory bail in second attempt made by the petitioner. The present petition is accordingly dismissed.

March 06, 2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Yes/No

Yes/No