

**203A IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-5347-2022

Date of decision : 26.08.2022

TARSEM SINGH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Abhishek Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, D.A.G, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner seeks the grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in a case bearing FIR No.227 dated 11.12.2021, under Sections 325, 323, 34 IPC (Section 452 IPC added later on vide DDR/G.D. No.27 dated 14.12.2021) registered with Police Station Talwandi Sabo, Distt. Bathinda.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 09.02.2022, petitioner has joined the investigation to the entire satisfaction of the Investigating Officer.

The learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Jagtar Singh submits that though the petitioner has joined the investigation in terms of the order dated 09.02.2022, but he is required for custodial interrogation. On a query, he is unable to justify as to why the petitioner is required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, interim order dated 09.02.2022 is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall keep on joining the

investigation as and when required to do so and he shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

26.08.2022
JITESH

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No
Whether reportable:- Yes/No