

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

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**CRM-M-5968-2022  
Decided on : 10.02.2022**

Bharatudhey Singh @ Bharat Udhey Singh

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent(s)

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL**

**(Through Video Conferencing)**

PRESENT: Mr. Harchand Singh Batth, Advocate  
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab.

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**MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)**

Learned counsel for the petitioner is seeking the concession of interim bail for 10 days i.e. from 12.02.2022 to 21.02.2022 for attending the marriage of his sister which is to take place on 14.02.2022 at Village Marri Megha, Tehsil Patti, District Tarn Taran. The petitioner is facing trial in case FIR No. 398, dated 13.11.2021, under Section 376 of IPC and Section 4 of the POCSO (Amended) Act, 2012, registered at Police Station Sohana, District SAS Nagar (Mohali) for committing rape upon his student, aged 15 years.

Learned counsel submits that since he is the only brother, his presence would be required to perform various rites and rituals at the time of the marriage ceremony. A prayer has, therefore, been made to grant him interim bail for 10 days and set aside the order dated 09.02.2022 passed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Special Court, SAS Nagar (Mohali), vide which the trial Court granted him interim bail for only one day to attend the marriage in police custody.

Heard and perused the material on record including the impugned

This Court is not inclined to extend the concession of interim bail for 10 days to the petitioner for his sister's wedding. The order granting him interim bail for one day in police custody by the trial Court comes across as being reasonable which does not warrant any interference by this Court.

Dismissed.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)  
JUDGE

**February 10, 2022**

*J.Ram*

*Whether speaking/reasoned:*      *Yes/No*  
*Whether Reportable:*                *Yes/No*