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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-12226-2022
Date of Decision: 24.03.2022

Bijay Singh

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present: Mr. H.S. Baath, Advocate for the petitioner.

Through Video Conferencing

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in complaint No. 312 dated 23.02.2022, titled as 'Lakhvir Singh Versus Bijay Singh'

While opening up his arguments, the learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner was declared as a proclaimed offender on 18.02.2022 and the same has also been mentioned in para No.2 of the petition. The present petition has been filed for grant of anticipatory bail. Once the petitioner is declared a proclaimed offender in the present case, the present petition for grant of anticipatory bail would not be maintainable. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of *State of Madhya Pradesh Versus Pardeep Sharma [2014(1) SCC (Criminal) 768]* also

observed that in such like cases the anticipatory bail application is not maintainable

In view of the above, the present petition is hereby dismissed.

24.03.2022

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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No