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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.50719 of 2022 (O&M)
Decided on: 12.12.2022

Jagjeet Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. A.S. Manaise, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Shubham Kaushik, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.118 dated 08.11.2018, registered under Sections 307, 452, 323, 427, 148, 149 IPC and Sections 25, 27 of the Arms Act at Police Station Kulgarhi, District Ferozepur.

The operative part of the order dated 02.11.2022, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“....As per averments made in the petition, the petitioner was granted interim bail by the Additional Sessions Judge, vide order dated 21.06.2022, with a direction to join investigation within a period of seven days, however, having failed to do so, the bail application of the petitioner has been dismissed, vide order dated 05.07.2022.

It is further submitted that vide order dated 16.09.2022, passed by the Additional Sessions Judge, co-accused Gurbhej Singh @ Saggu, Gurmail Singh @ Sanam, Ramesh Kumar and Gurpreet Singh @ Preeti have already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail. It is further stated that coaccused Gurjeet Singh @ Jeeti has also been granted the concession of anticipatory bail by the Additional Sessions Judge, vider order dated 26.09.2022.

Notice of motion for 12.12.2022....”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 02.11.2022, the petitioner has appeared before the Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Sone, has not disputed the aforesaid fact and submits that the petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, this petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 02.11.2022 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No