

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

CRM-M No.6615 of 2023
Date of decision: 8th February, 2023

Manish Arora

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Amitabh Tewari and Mr. Satvik Bansal, Advocates
for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner in the instant petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is seeking quashing of the order dated 16.11.2022 (Annexure P-18), vide which non-bailable warrant of his arrest were issued by the trial Court in case bearing FIR No.156 dated 08.09.2020 under Section 188 IPC registered at Police Station Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar; with a further prayer to quash order dated 20.12.2022 (Annexure P-19) vide which petitioner was summoned through proclamation under Section 82 Cr.P.C.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner had been regularly appearing before the trial Court and it was only on 12.09.2022 due to some personal difficulty, he was unable to put in an appearance. He submits that it was thus, for genuine reasons that the petitioner was unable to put in an appearance before the Court.

Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner is ready to appear

and surrender before the trial Court and therefore, he be protected till then.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner and perused the relevant material on record.

In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is disposed of with direction to the petitioner to appear and surrender before the trial Court within seven days from today and move appropriate application for grant of bail. Till then, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner. The trial Court, on such application being moved, shall decide it expeditiously, preferably within two days. However, it is made clear that in case the petitioner fails to surrender before the Court below within the above stipulated time period, this order shall be of no avail to him.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

February 8, 2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No