

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.17973 of 2023
Date of decision: 21st April, 2023

Gourav Tingi
... Petitioner
Versus
State of Punjab
... Respondent

CORAM: HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Hitesh Chopra, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Amit Rana, Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.
Mr. Kanav Mahajan, Advocate for the complainant.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of the concession of bail in case bearing FIR No.38 dated 12.03.2023 under Sections 420, 406, 467, 468, 471 IPC registered at Police Station Sujanpur, District Pathankot.

Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia submits that the petitioner was arrested on 12.03.2023 and soon thereafter, on the same day, the parties, with the intervention of their relatives and other respectables, effected a compromise. It has also been submitted that a petition bearing CRM-M No.18485 of 2023 has been filed for quashing of the FIR in question, in which this Court, vide order of even date, has issued notice of motion and directed the parties to get their statements

qua the compromise recorded before the trial Court. A prayer has therefore been made for grant of the concession of bail to the petitioner.

Learned State counsel assisted by learned counsel representing the complainant, has not disputed the submissions made by the counsel opposite. Learned counsel for the complainant does not oppose the prayer of the petitioner for grant of bail to him.

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

In the facts and circumstances, as enumerated hereinabove, this Court thus deems it fit to extend the concession of bail to the petitioner. The petition as such is allowed and the petitioner is admitted to bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate. However, it is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

April 21, 2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No