

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-26506-2023

Date of decision: 17.08.2023

Avtar Singh alias Ajgar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. D.S. Virk, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Subhash Godara, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.164 dated 25.07.2019 registered under Section 174-A IPC at Police Station Sadar Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

2. On 25.05.2023, while noticing the following submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court had directed the petitioner to appear before the Trial Court within 10 days and on appearance was to be admitted to interim bail:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner at the very outset submits that the petitioner continuously appearing during trial before the Court concerned. However, it is only one date i.e. 29.03.2023, he failed to appear before the Court as a result of which the bail bonds/surety bonds of the petitioner were forfeited to the State and thereafter he was summoned through non-bailable warrants of arrest for 28.04.2023.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of order dated 25.05.2023, the petitioner has appeared and

surrendered before the Trial Court and has been admitted to interim bail by the Trial Court.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having appeared and surrendered before the Trial Court and thereafter, admitted to interim bail by the Court concerned.

5. In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 25.05.2023, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

17.08.2023

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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