

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.27556 of 2023
Date of decision: 7th December, 2023

Amarjit Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Sarbjit S. Grewal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Mohit Kapoor, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.94 dated 30.04.2023 under Sections 458, 323, 353, 186, 332, 34 of the IPC registered at Police Station City-2, Mansa, District Mansa.

2. On 30.05.2023, while noticing the following submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner, a Coordinate Bench of this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioner and asked him to join investigation.

“Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that the petitioner is working as a Lineman in electricity department and has been falsely implicated in the present case. He further submits that main allegations in the FIR are against co-accused Prabhjot Singh, who is son of the petitioner, who has

already been arrested. He further submits that injuries suffered by constable Sikandar Singh are simple in nature. He further submits that petitioner is not involved in any other case and he is ready and willing to join the investigation.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 30.05.2023, the petitioner has joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Balbir Singh, does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He, on further instructions submits that the petitioner is not required for further investigation much less for his custodial interrogation.

5. In the circumstances, the petition is allowed and the interim order dated 30.05.2023 is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. Needless to say, in case the petitioner misuses the concession of bail granted to him, the State would be at liberty to seek cancellation of the bail granted to him.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

December 7, 2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No