

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

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CRM-M-36596-2022

Date of decision : 30.01.2023

Major Singh

Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mr. K.S. Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Jaspal Singh Guru, Asstt. A.G., Punjab
for the respondent-State.

ASHOK KUMAR VERMA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.50 dated 05.06.2022 registered under Sections 21(b) and 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Thermal, District Bathinda.

Status report dated 28.01.2023 by way of an affidavit of Sh.Gurpreet Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, City-II, Bathinda has been filed in the Court today which is taken on record.

Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that in pursuance of order dated 12.09.2022 passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above facts, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 12.09.2022 granting interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

30.01.2023

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(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No