

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-46589-2023
Date of decision: 05.10.2023

AMANDEEP SINGHPetitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB ...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: - Mr. Parampreet Singh Kaul, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Swati Batra, DAG, Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

Reply dated 05.10.2023 in the form of an affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Sri Hargobindpur, Police District Batala, has been filed. The same is taken on record. Copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. By way of present petition filed under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
0134	01.11.2022	323, 324, 148 and 149 of IPC.	Rangar Nangal, District Batala.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 21.09.2023 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined in the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order 21.09.2023.

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4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Harjeet Singh, intimates that the petitioner had joined in the investigation in the case and is no more required for any custodial investigation in this case nor he is required for further investigation.

5. Keeping in view the respective submissions made by learned State counsel and considering the fact that the petitioner had already joined the investigation and is no more required for further investigation nor he is required for any custodial interrogation, interim bail granted vide order dated 21.09.2023 is hereby confirmed in the present FIR No.0134, dated 01.11.2022 under Sections 323, 324, 148 and 149 of IPC (Annexure P-1), subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C, that the petitioner will come and join the investigation as and when so required; will not tamper with the evidence and will not leave the country without prior permission and will appear in Court on each and every date of hearing.

6. The petition stands allowed.

7. It is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

05.10.2023
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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |