

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-58452-2023 (O&M)
Date of order: 01.12.2023

Sharanpreet Singh
... Petitioner(s)
Versus
State of Punjab and another
...Respondent (s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present:- Mr. M.S. Viridi, Advocate and
Mr. Amit Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Shiva Khurmi, AAG, Punjab.

ANOOP CHITKARA, J.

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
24	20.09.2016	Vigilance Bureau, Patiala, District Patiala	13(i) (d), 13(ii) of the Prevention of Corruption Act (for short, “the PC Act”) and Sections 409, 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC

1. Apprehending arrest in the FIR captioned above, the petitioner had come up before this Court under Section 438 CrPC seeking anticipatory bail.
2. In paragraph 9 of the bail petition, the accused declares that they have no criminal antecedents.
3. Allegations against the petitioner are that he had misrepresented the damage of crop and obtained compensation of Rs.13,568/- in connivance with government officials.
4. Vide order dated 20.11.2023, this Court had granted interim protection to the petitioner which is continuing till date.
5. State has filed reply in Court which is taken on record.
6. State’s counsel, on instructions from ASI Sukhwinder Singh, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required.

7. Given above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 20.11.2023 is made absolute. All pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

December 01, 2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	Yes