



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.10432 of 2024
Date of decision: 15th May, 2024

Pardeep Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Ms. Lalita Kashyap, Advocate for
Mr. Namit Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Navdeep Singh, Dy. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.
Mr. Manpreet S. Sidhu, Advocate for the complainant.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.14 dated 23.01.2024 for the offences under Sections 342, 452, 506, 148, 149 of the IPC registered at Police Station Pasyana, District Patiala.

2. On the last date of hearing, i.e. 29.02.2024, while noticing the following submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioner and asked him to join investigation.

“Learned counsel inter alia contends that a perusal of the FIR, which has been annexed as Annexure P-1, clearly reveals that though the petitioner allegedly armed with a sickle but it is a case of no injury. Similarly placed



co-accused Pawandeep Singh has already been extended the concession of interim anticipatory bail.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 29.02.2024, the petitioner has joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, 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 29.02.2024 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

May 15, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No