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

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CRM-M-13522-2024
Date of Decision : **March 15, 2024**

NARINDER KUMAR ALIAS GORA BAIPetitioner
VERSUS
STATE OF PUNJABRespondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : Mr. R.D.Rattewal, Advocate for the petitioner.

KULDEEP TIWARI, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed for seeking quashing/setting aside of order dated 16.8.2022(Annexure P-6), passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, SBS Nagar in FIR No.90 dated 28.8.2019, under Section 61-1-14 of Excise Act, Police Station Sadar Banga, District SBS Nagar.
2. The learned counsel for the petitioner is unable to point out any illegality in the order dated 16.8.2022, where through, the petitioner has been declared as a proclaimed offender. However, he submits that the petitioner is ready and willing to join the proceedings before the learned trial Court concerned.
3. In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to appear before the learned trial Court within one month from today. In case the petitioner surrenders before the learned trial Court concerned, within the prescribed time period and move an application for regular bail, the same shall be heard and decided expeditiously, preferably on the same day. Till then the arrest of the petitioner shall remain stayed.
4. **Disposed of** accordingly.
5. In case, the petitioner fails to surrender before the learned trial Court concerned within one month from today, the interim protection shall be deemed to be *ipso-facto* vacated without any further reference to this Court.

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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned.	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable.	:	Yes/No